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WETASKIWIN FAIR WILL HAVE BIGGEST ATTRACTIONS

Board of Directors Meets to Make Final Arrangements. Baseball Tournament, Horse Races, Midway and Ferris Wheel will Provide Lots of Amusement.

A general meeting of the directors of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society was held in the U.F.A. Block on Tuesday afternoon, August 1, for the purpose of completing organization for the coming fair which will take place August 14, 15, and 16.

The sports committee brought in recommendations with regard to the baseball tournament and the horse races.

It was decided, in order to stimulate interest in the baseball competition, and give all teams entering an equal chance, that the prize money should be divided in such a way that every team winning a game should receive a prize, with a substantial amount going to the final winner of the tournament. This will likely necess ate an increase in the prize money, according to the number of teams entering, and it was left with the managing directors to confer with the sports committee and arrange a proper division of the prize money, which will be announced later.

In view of the necessity for economy this year, it was unanimously decided that some of the horse races be cut out, entailing a reduction of $450 in the purses offered. Following is the revised race program as finally agreed upon by the meeting:

August 15th.

Half mile Indian Race (heats) best three in five heats, Purse, $25.60

2.30 class, Trot or Pace, Horses with heat record not eligible. Purse $200.00

One Mile Indian Race, (Dash) Purse $25.00.

August 16.

2.25 Class, Trot or Pace, best three in five heats, Purse $200.00.

Three Quarter Mile Dash, open Purse $150.00.

Free-for-all, Trot or Pace, best three in five heats, Purse $200.00.

One Mile Dash Handicap, for Provincial bred horses only, to be handicapped on past performances. Purse $100.00

Two Mile Relay Race, for Boys 18 years old and under, two horses to be used (race horses barred) Purse $50.

All of the directors present volunteered their services in some capacity during the fair, and it was left to the Managing Directors to allot them to the varous positions, and also to arrange for what special constables will be required.

It was also left with the managing directors to make arrangements for a first class eating booth on the grounds.

Change in Division of Baseball Prizes

In order to give each team entering the baseball tournament in the fair an equal chance for a share of the prize money, it has been decided by the sports committee to alter the division of the purse as follows:

(a) A prize of $25.00 to each team winning its first game in the tournament.

(b) A prize of $30.00 to the winner of the final game.

The following rules will govern the tournament:

1. The competition is restricted to teams within a radius of 25 miles of Wetaskiwin.

2. All entres must be in the hands of the Secretary or Fred Freeman, the chairman of the sports committee, on or before August 10th.

3. All players to be eligible for this tournament must be registered in the league of which their team is a member or be a bonafide resident of the district.

4. At the time of entry each team must submit a list of players to be used and no other players will be allowed to take part.

Umpires selected to handle the games are W. O. Torgerson, P. A. Miquelon, J. F. Richards and Ernest Switzor.

SPECIAL EXHIBIT AT WETASKIWIN FAIR

One of the most interesting features at the Fair this year will be the special exhibit from the Dominion experimental farm at Lacombe. This exhibit will be both instructive and attractive and the man in charge will have information available concerning all subjects pertaining to field crop, livestock and gardening. Among other things featured will be models of silos, etc., which will help the farmer in planning improvements he may be contemplating in his farm buildings. The exhibits for the purpose of presenting to the farmer in an attractive manner the results of the experimental work at Lacombe, and farmers should come prepared to discuss some of their problems with the man in charge.

FORTNIGHTLY CROP REPORT

(Issued by the Publicity Commissioner, Govt. Buildings, Edmonton)

Edmonton, July 29.—The crop situation in Alberta has reached a condition where it is possible to make a fairly definite statement respecting the probable harvest.

Taking the province as a whole, the crop is uneven. On new breaking and on well worked summerfallow, yields of from 30 to 40 bushels of wheat are expected, in almost every part. On stubble plowing, both fall and spring, the yields over three-quarters of the province will be light. The oat crop is a very short stand, and the yields will not be as large as for several years past. A very considerable portion of the oat crop will be cut by mowers for hay. In some districts this work has already commenced.

The area from Calgary south extending to the boundary will have the heaviest crop since 1915, although on small portions of this area, particularly on the lighter soils, there will be some small crops. Some fields of wheat in this area give promise of 40 bushel yields and 30 bushels per acre will not be uncommon. The whole south western part of the province has been favored with good rains. In addition to this a reserve of moisture was held over from last season, the fall rains being quite plentiful. The south eastern part of the province has not been so favored. Fairly good rains have fallen but the crop is somewhat spotted.

In the whole of the south, a heavy yield of rye is anticipated and cutting of this crop is now practically completed. Most of the farmers have harvested part of the rye crop for hay. This will mean that the farmers of the south should not have to import so much feed for the coming season.

The whole central and northern part of the province has been short of rain throughout the season. If rain were to come at the present time, it it materially improve the later sown green feed and hay.

Loss from grasshoppers has been very small throughout the infested territory owing to the energetic campaign waged against this pest. Poisoning will have to continue for some little time yet, particularly in the breeding grounds.

The department has commenced investigations respecting hay supply in the northern areas. A considerable amount of hay has already been located. The drying up of sloughs will make it possible to secure hay on land that has not been cut for some years past.

It is somewhat early to make a detailed statement regarding average yeilds for the province. If rains were to come at the present time, during the filling period, it would materially improve the situation.

The season's second tragedy at Alberta beach occurred Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Adam (Dinty) Joyce, 18 year old Edmonton youth, was drowned.

Entries for the Fair must be in by Saturday, August 12.

ALBERTA PASSES EFFECTING BILL ON WHEAT BOARD

Alberta's wheat board bill was advanced through committee and with few minor additions, given final reading in the legislature on Saturday afternoon.

The act will come into force immediately after being assented to, and, according to he government, steps will be at once taken to confer with the dominion government and government of Saskatchewan, regarding the creation of the wheat board. The Dominion Wheat Board was established on July 31, 1919, and even then it was not an easy matter to have preparations in shape for handling the year's crop. This year it is expected the wheat will be ready for market earlier than in 1919.

The special indemnity bill also passed by the house on Saturday afternoon, the government's proposal being for an indemnity of $200 per member. Robert Pearson, independent member for Calgary, drew attention to the fact that the Saskatchewan members drew $250 for their special session and, upon his motion, the Alberta allowance per member was increased to $250 by a majority vote of the house.

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SUCCESSFUL LOCAL STUDENTS AT RECENT HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS.

The names of he successful students at the recent Grade XII. and XI. examinations were announced in the daily press the fore part of the week. In the former grade, the Wetaskiwin students made a good showing six of the seven writing passed the exams. The name of Miss Hulda Franklin, who did not write on all the papers, does not appear in the list. Those who passed are:

Grade XII.—

Asp, Gladys
Goodhand, Annie
Ryan, Margaret (conditioned in trigonometry and algebra XII and geometry XI.)
Switzer, Mariel
Waldren, Mary
Wilkins, Gwyneth

Grade XI.—

Of the twenty-five who wrote in this grade, the following were successful:

Campbell, Bessie
Dickson, Helen
Elkerman, William
Farnham, Alvina
French, Gordon C.
Humbke, Martha
McKay, Maud
Reist, Rose,
Stevens, Florence.
Weir, Ruth

Conditioned—

Anderson, Agnes, composition.
Belscheim, Annie, composition.
Bunker, Blythe, geometry.
Chandler, Richard, history and geometry.
Knowlan, Mina, music.
Nelson, Edna, geometry and physics
Paton, Bernice, geometry
Walker, Dorothy, history and geometry.

LACOMBE PRESBYTERY MET HERE TUESDAY

A largely attended special meeting of the Presbytery of Lacombe was held in Knox church on Tuesday, August 1, Rev. W. Eakin, moderator, presiding.

The two chief items of business were calls to two members of the Presbytery. The first was to Mr. Eakin from Three Hills, in the presbytery of Red Deer. The commissioners from Laughead pressed for Mr. Eakin's retention as their minister and Mr. Eakin declined the call.

The second call was from St. Andrews church, North Bay, to Rev. J. M. Pritchard, of Knox church. The call was signed by 150 members and carried a guarantee of stipend of $2500 and use of manse and a month's holidays. After commissioners from the Knox church congregation, and the Tuxis square had been heard, the presbytery granted the transfer, to take place after Sunday, August 20. Mr. Pritchard's induction at North Bay has been set for August 30.

Rev. J. H. MacHardie of Stromc was appointed clerk of presbytery to succeed Mr. Pritchard, and Rev. F. R. G. Dredge was appointed interim moderator of Knox church congregation.

At the session the congregation of Knox church placed on record its appreciation of the ministry of Mr. Pritchard in Wetaskiwin, and its deep regreat at the prospect of his being transferred to another field of usefulness. During his pastorate of four and one half years, he has been ready at all times to respond to every call upon his time and talent, and he has given himself without stint to the service of the congregation and community, and he has laid the sure foundation of a structure which in the future shall rise as a monument to his devoted service. Reference was also made to the activities of Mrs. Pritchard in the church, and the influence she has exerted, especially in the affiliated organizations of the church, and particularly in her work with the Mission Band and the group of Canadian girls in training. The hope was expressed that Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard may long be spared to continue their excellent work in the Master's service that they may meet in their new field of labor with the full degree of success which their efforts deserve, and though separated by many miles, they may feel that they and their boys will ever have a place in the hearts of the people of Wetaskiwin.

A committee from the members of Ermineskin Square of Tuxis Boys of Knox church also aressed the presbytery and placed on record the appreciation they have for Mr. Pritchard as their mentor, and their deep regrets at his proposed departure from the city. To Mr. Pritchard is due the credit of organizing the first Tuxis Square in the city, and as a Tuxis Square and as individuals they expressed their indebtedness to him for his untiring efforts in their behalf, and for what "Traning in Service" has meant and will mean to them.

Entries for the Fair must be in by Saturday, August 12.

WEDDINGS

LUNDY — McPHERSON

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. A. McPherson, 10721 81st. Avenue, at seven o'clock on Monday evening, July 31, when her daughter, Helen became the bride of Thomas Irvine Lundy, son of Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Lundy, of Vancouver.

The bride entered the drawing room with her brother, Robert McPherson, to the strains of the Wedding March played by Mr. Tom Smith. She looked very pretty and charming in a dress of white georgette and satin, with a long bridal veil of embroidered net gracefully arranged upon her head in a Juliet cap, and held in place with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of pink and white carnations. Her sister, Mrs. Isabella Smith, acted as matron of honor, wearing a stylish dress of grey silk and georgette, finished with touches of old rose. The bride niece, little Jessie Smith, made the dainties of flower girls in a frock of pink silk, and carried a basket of pink and white sweet peas. Mrs. McPherson, the bride's mother, was attired in a handsome dress of brown charmeuse satin, with overdress of lace. Mr. Chas Ironside acted as best man, and the bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Robert McPherson. The Rev. A. D. Reid, of Knox church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of relatives and friends.

A delicious supper was afterwards served in the dining room, where covers were laid for thirty-eight. The table was prettily decorated in pink and white, the flowers used being carnations and sweet peas. The big bridal cake occupied the position of honor charmingly decorated and surrounded with carnations and ferns.

The evening was delightfully spent in music, games and dancing. The young couple have many friends, and have been the recipients of a large number of beautiful cut glass, linen and china. Among these are included a handsome cut glass vase and cut-glass cream and sugar set, the gift of the bride's associates in the government long distance telephone office, with which she was connected for about three years. Mr. and Mrs. Lundy will make their home in Edmonton.

The guests present at dinner included the following in addition to the bride and groom; Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Smith, Miss Jeannie and Master George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson, Mr. J. Beaton, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Tom Smith, Miss Seddon, Mr. L. Leigh Miss Anita Smith, the Misses Gertrude and Bessie Doughty, Mrs. Doughty, Miss Jean Horne, Mr. Chas. Ironside, Mr. Colin McPherson, Miss Florence Bastow, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Morrison, Rev. A. D. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lundy and daughter (of Rocky Mountain House), and a number from Wetaskiwin: Mr. and Mrs. R. McPherson and sons Robert and Colin, Mr. and Mrs. Gothard and Miss May Gothard, Mr. Watson and daughter Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and daughter Flo.

JOHANSON — HEDLUND

A very pretty wedding took place on Friday, July 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Hedlund of Malmo, when their daughter, Victoria Margeurite was united in marriage to Mr. Gunard Johanson of Aaker, the Rev. Quarnstrom officiating. The bride was gowned in a lovely dress of white satin with overskirt of white georgette and white veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of roses.

The bridal pair were attended by Miss R. Johanson, sister of the groom and Mr. Axel Hedlund, brother of the bride, while little Miss Minnie Melcher acted as flower girl. The bride and groom stood under a large white bell and the room was prettily decorated with pink roses and green leaves. Miss Julia Hedlund played the Wedding March. After the ceremony the guests, numbering twenty-four, partook of a sumptuous repast.

The happy couple motored to Wetaskiwin, and left on the 2.10 train for Calgary, the bride travelling in a one piece dress of navy blue serge, trimmed with contrasting silk and smart brown hat. The bride and groom received a number of beautiful presents.

School Board Accepts Principal's Resignation

At a special meeting of the Wetaskiwin school board, held on Monday afternoon, the resignation of Mr. E. B. Asselstine, B.A., was read, and on motion accepted with deep regret. The secretary was authorized to advertise for a successor and it is hoped by the board that the position will be filled about the 16th inst. Mr. Asselstine's numerous friends and admirers will be very sorry to hear of his resignation, on account of ill-health, and hope that he will recuperate as a result of his expected lighter duties on the staff of the Central High School at Calgary.

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ALBERTA WILL SEND EXHIBIT ACROSS LINE

Edmonton, July 31.—Following negotiations carried on by the publicity branch of the provincial government, it has been arranged to send an Alberta exhibit this year to several of the large fairs in the western States. The exhibit has been in preparation for a month or so, and George Hoadley, minister of agriculture, has authorized the placing of the exhibit on a circuit of the fairs which has been arranged.

The exhibit will been placed at the large fairs of South Dakota, and Iowa, including the inter-state fair at Sioux City, Iowa, which covers four states, Iowa, Minnesota and Nebraska. The exhibit will also be sent to the state fair of Chicago, in which state irrigation colonists may be secured. In connection with this latter fair, the agricultural department will cooperate with the irrigation council and the officials of the Lethbridge Northern irrigation district.

Providing there is no alteration in the present plans, the exhibit will go to the States about September 1, and return about the end of that month. This is the first time that Alberta has placed an exhibit of this kind in the States for some years, save that which was taken to Chicago two years ago.

The exhibit has been prepared by Frank Peterson, who has done this work for the government for some years, and who has had 25 years' experience in the work. It will include not only a fine collection of grains and grasses from all parts of Alberta, but will also carry other features. It is planned to showe a series of motion pictures of the province with the exhibit.

CROP, INCLUDING BOTH GRAIN AND FRUIT, IS GOOD

Winnipeg, July 30.—"As nearly as can be judged on the first of August, I should say that between the lakes and the coast the crop, cereal, fruit and vegetable, will be one of the best we have ever had."

That is th opinion of Mr. Grant Hall vice president of the Canadian Pacific railway, who arrived in Winnipeg Saturday night, after spending the day as the guest of the management of the Brandon exhibition. Mr. Hall has been in the western provinces all of the past three weeks and has travelled mostly in daylight, making a close inspection of the railway as well as getting a personal opinion of the crop conditions.

"British Columbia is suffering from drought," said Mr. Hall, "but apparently it has not shortened the crop to any considerable extent, except possibly the apples in some districts. Right around Summerland is where they have suffered most, but in the Penticton and Kelowna districts they are well up to the average, and the same is true of the Vernon district.

"On the prairies I think we have every reason to be hopeful. Along the main line of the Canadian Pacific south to the international boundary and for 175 miles north of the main line the grain crop is better than for several years. Of course there are districts where it is short, but even in these districts the heads are of good length and well filled, showing that the early moisture was sufficient to carry it through. The sawfly is making some progress, and just what it may do yet is somewhat problematical."

Reduction of 50 Cents In All Grades of Lumber

Nelson, B.C., Aug. 1.—The Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' association yesterday announced a reduction of 50 cents per thousand feet in the delivered price of all principal grades of lumber, in order that the benefit derived from lower freight rates to the prairie points may be passed on to buyers and consumers of lumber. Rate reductions are effective August 1st and will average about 50 cents per thousand feet.

Distinguished Visitor Coming to Wetaskiwin

On Sunday next, August 6th, His Grace, H. J. O'Leary, Archbishop of Edmonton, will make his first pastoral visit to the Catholic Parish of this city, and will administer the sacrament of confirmation on this occasion. High mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m., at which further particulars will be given concerning the other services of the day. Everybody cordially invited.

At 5.30 p.m. a banquet will be given in honor of the Archbishop in the Briarl Hotel. A reception will be held at 8.15.

The monthly meeting of the John Knox U.F.A. and the U.F.W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. S. H. Reist on Friday evening, August 11. Everybdy is welcome.

BIG BUDGET OF BUSINESS DISPOSED OF BY COUNCIL

Deficit in Water Department to be Met by Charging Pumping to Electric Light Dept. Assistant to be Provided Chief of Police. Damage Claims Against City.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with all members in attendance except Ald. Compton and Pendleton.

After the adoption of the minutes of the last regular meeting and the court of revision, a letter was read from the city auditors reporting that the audit of the books for the quarter ending June 30th, had been completed, and everything was found to be in rood order. Their account for the work, $66.75, was passed for payment.

The city solicitor submitted his account in conenction with the Alberta Hotel foreclosure. The bill will be taxed and paid.

Richard E. Ryan of Peace River, who applied for a position at the power house will be informed there is no opening.

A letter was received from Sunnybrook, Alta., setting forth a case against the city for damages to horses which in the city pound, and claiming that $100 damages had been caused through neglect on the part of the poundkeeper. The matter was remitted to the police, market and relief committee and the city solicitor to report at next meeting.

A general discussion ensued respecting the city pound, it being stated that it was a liability to the city, as the amount received in fees did not meet the expenditures. It was agreed that F. Higgins be informed that his services as poundkeeper would not be required after the end of August. The report of Chief Shelton on the condition of the poundkeeper's books was adopted and filed.

The president of the Hospital Aid society asked permission to hold tag days during the fair. The request was granted.

The report of Chief Shelton for the month of July was received and adopted.

The Chief of police asked that arrangements be made to relieve him of some of the time from the fire hall, in addition to the time he now has, and the matter was referred to the committee to engage the services of a man temporarily, not to cost more than $20.00 a month, for afternoon employment only.

The recommendation of the finance committee that $59.50 be written off the assessment of a car of Macarthur, Merner & Co., was adopted.

Municipalities Make Handsome Donation To Maternity Ward

The U.F.A. District meeting was held in the rest room on Saturday last. The meeting was called to order by the president, John Berry. The hospital committee, Mrs. J. Trea and Mrs. P. C. Peterson, gave a very gratifying report. They had interviewed the councils of the Municipalities of Montgomery and Bigstone and were successful in securing the amount asked for in each case, viz: Montgomery $300, and Bigstone $200. This money will be used in furnishing the maternity wards in the hospital and the credit of furnishing these rooms will be given to the Municipalities of Montgomery and Bigstone and the U.F.W.A. The ladies present at the meeting were insistent in their demands that the managing board be requested to bar all cases of contagious diseases from the maternity ward, even if the rooms were vacant, as well as all other cases that could not readily be moved to an adjoining room. A resolution to this effect was passed and will be brought before the hospital board.

Two Ponoka Boys Lose Lives in Battle River

Ponoka, July 31.—Leslie Wing and Donald McTaggart, two local boys, aged seven, were drowned in the Battle river near this town, on Saturday. A companion, Jack Keer, narrowly escaped a similar fate, being rescued while going down for the third time.

KOVAR SENTENCED ONE YEAR AT FORT

Andrew Kovar, of Millet, was sentenced by His Honor Judge Lees, at Wetaskiwin, on Tuesday, the 25th inst., to one year's imprisonment at hard labor, at Fort Saskatchewan, on four different charges, comprising theft, breaking and entering a dwelling house, and theft of articles found therein.

Several tenders for the supply of water meters was referred to the light and power committee to report.

Dr. N. A. Johnson reported that he had made several inspections of the meat and the slaughter houses in the city, and all were found to be in first class sanitary condition, excepting one slaughter house. The report was adopted.

The following accounts were passed for payment: General $114.11; Electric light, $268.47; Waterworks, $56.45; Fortnightly wages, $163.27.

An account for electric wiring to the C.P.R. freight shed was returned for adjustment. This was referred to the committee.

Supt. Watson reported that several leaks had occurred in the water main supplying the users residing north of the fair ground, and recommended that this service be discontinued if it could be legally done; and if not, that a two inch pipe be laid. It was referred to the light and water committee to get legal advice on the matter of discontinuing the service, and report at next meeting.

Supt. Watson was authorized to proceed with the change of the water main in the vicinity of Henry Haas' the expenditure to amount to about $50.00.

The public works committee was instructed to engage a man to cut the noxious weeds in the city.

It was agreed that J. Cowan, sr., be granted ten days holidays, and that the matter of arranging for the vacation of the staff in the city offices be left with His Worship.

The matter of the wages to be paid Alvin Millin as fireman at the power house was briefly considered, and referred to the committee to make a satisfactory arrangement.

The question of the preparation of the address to His Excellency the Governor General, upon his visit here was considered, and an appropriation of $35.00 was voted to meet the expense of this.

It was agreed that the agricultural grounds be rented for pasture after the fair is held, and that the matter be left with C. H. Swanson, who will collect $2.00 a head for every animal being pastured there.

As the hospital will be a large user f electric current, it was agreed that it be supplied electricity at the rate of 8c per k.w.

His Worship pointed out that since the first of the year, the water department was losing at the rate of over $200.00 a month, while the electric light department was showing a nice surplus, and he advised that for the present the cost of water pumping be charged to the electric light department, and he estimated that by the end of the year, if this was done, neither the electric light or water departments would be showing a deficit. This charge is to retroactive to the first of January last. After discussion, a resolution to the above effect was passed.

Bylaws 444 and 4445, respecting the sale of property to Curt Smith and O. H. Ronnie, respectively, were read three times and finally passed.

Meeting adjourned.

CAR CRASHES OVER 40FT BANK AT SEBA, OCCUPANTS UNHURT

Four Edmonton young people had a narow escape from death at Seba Beach on Sunday afternoon. A large McLaughlin car was being driven by William Morrison and when it had crossed the railway tracks at Seba station the steering gear broke and the car plunged through a railing which guarded a steep bank and went over the embankment, crashing forty feet and turning over several times.

A crowd quickly gathered and it was thought the entire party was killed or at least partly injured. Upon examination, however, it was found that all had been thrown clear of the car and had escaped with nothing worse than a few bruises. Those in the car besides the driver were two Misses Joslin of the south side and A. Baird. The car was smashed beyond repair.

U.F.A. LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	%
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Cherry Grove	4	2	.666
Crooked Lake	3	4	.428
Gwynne	2	4	.333
Offerdale	1	4	.333

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NEW MAPS OF RED DEER AND PEACE HILLS DIST.

New maps of the country extending for about one hundred miles south from Camrose and Wetaskiwin have recently been published by the Topographical Surveys Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. These are known as Red Deer sheet No. 235 and Peace Hills sheet No. 265 of the Sectional Map of Canada. The scale is three miles to one inch and the maps cover respectively from townships 33 to 40 inclusive, and from 41 to 48 inclusive, and extend from range 15 west of the fourth meridian westerly to the fifth meridian. The area covered by each map is 112 townships or about 4000 square miles.

These maps form part of a series of topographical maps which is planned to cover all of Western Canada and which is expected to fill a long felt want. The information shown has been collected on the ground by trained officials of the department and will be invaluable to farmers and land seekers, merchants and tourists, and indeed to all who are in any way interested in the district covered.

All essential information is clearly and distinctly shown, and at the same time the maps present a remarkably neat and attractive appearance. The limits of townships, sections and quarter sections are shown clearly but unobtrusively in neutral tint. Streams, lakes and water features generally, together with their names are shown in blue. In black are shown the railways and stations, telegraph and telephone lines, towns and villages with their street systems and built up areas. The presence of post offices, telegraph stations, elevators and gasoline stations are indicated by special symbols, and in the rural districts all dwellings are accurately located with appropriate symbols to indicate churches and schools.

Much attention has been given to the relief of the country, this being indicated by contour lines in brown with a vertical interval of fifty feet, and by giving the height above sea level of the railways stations and most of the lakes. On a map of this scale it is unavoidable that the contours should be very much generalized, but it is certain that the information gives a good idea of the slope of the country and will be of great value for the carrying on of drainage operations and in the study of elevations in relation to climate and rainfall.

One of the most important features of these maps is the roads. These have been classified after expert investigation upon the basis of relative importance as traffic arteries rather than on physical condition, which is apt to vary widely under seasonal and weather conditions. Trunk roads are main routes between important but more or less widely separated centres. They are indicated by broad red lines. Secondary roads, often equally good as to physical condition but limited in importance to the linking up of settlements and as feeders are indicated by double black lines. Local roads well travelled, and local roads slightly travelled are also suitably marked.

When it is remembered that every mile of road in the district has been gone over and studied by a surveyor with a view to arriving at a proper classification, it will be seen that the motorist and the traveller generally have at hand for the section of country covered a road map that is absolutely reliable. Where the road leaves the sheet a note is added giving the name of the next town, and the traveller is further assisted by a small key map in the margin which ties the sheet on to centres of population more or less distant.

These maps are 24 inches by 34 inches in size and are printed in five colors on the best map bond paper. They may be obtained on either thin or heavy paper from local dealers or from the Topographical Surveys Branch at Ottawa.

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Mr. Jos. Gouertin, Nesterville, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with my kidneys and bladder for about ten years. My bladder was so weak I was getting up four or five times every night. I had pains in my back, and many a day I had to quit work my back was so weak. I tried many doctors, and different medicines, but I never got any better until one day, when I was on the train, I met one of my friends who advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills I took four boxes, and that is six months ago, and I can truthfully say I have gained fifteen pounds since, and am now completely relieved of my trouble. I cannot praise your Pills enough."

Doan's Kidney Pills (the original) are 50c. a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The Growing Child

The business of a child is to grow and learn things.

At these two trades the young one works harder and succeeds better than the adult does with his job, says Dr. W. A. Evans in the Minneapolis Journal.

For instance, the baby has the job of increasing his weight 200 per cent. in a single year—of doubling the year three times as heavy as he began it.

Suppose an adult had the same job. He would join a union and the union would limit this to say 20 per cent.

Or, there are those who say that the baby learns more the first day he lives than he ever learns any other day, and more in the first year than in any other year.

An adult does no learn one-fifteenth as much in a year.

Growth, however, is not uniform at all seasons of the year.

I always have said that babies and children generally will not grow much and should not be expected to grow much during hot weather.

Every mother should have a growth schedule for her child, and she should try to see that the time card is lived up to at other seasons of the year, except possibly the hot season.

If she tries to feed her baby enough to keep up this schedule in hot weather she will make him sick.

The mother of older children will do well to disregard this schedule in hot weather.

Two or three recent reports are only partially confirmatory of this opinion. Professor W. T. Porter of Harvard university, studying the growth records of several thousand Boston school children, found that the season of minimum growth was from September to January. The season of smallest growth was from February to June.

Since the schools are not in session in summer he had no extended observation on hot weather gains.

In New York city Gebhart studied the growth of 600 children.

He found that the period of maximum gain began early in August and that between that and the end of the year the children made two-thirds of the entire years' growth.

In the more than seven months between January and August 15 the average gain was only half as much as during the four and a half months of the late summer, fall and early winter.

While these observations are not wholly confirmatory of the advice, nevertheless they do not overturn it.

Therefore again—Do not try to make your baby, or even your older children, gain much weight this summer.

Road Dust More Costly Than Real Gold Dust

Manufacturers of motor cars have long recognized the necessity of frequent crank case cleaning. The importance of renewing the oil in the crank case every 500 or 1000 miles is emphasized in most of the instruction books issued by motor car manufacturers. Through the work of motor manufacturing companies and the work of dealers who have equipped themselves to take care of the job, a number of motorists have been induced to have their crank cases cleaned regularly, but there are still far too many motorists who neglect to do so.

Road dust and sand work their way into the crank case to mingle with the oil and small metal particles to grind away moving parts and reduce the efficiency of the motor. Then too, the oil in the crank case will in time wear out or become diluted by fuel mixtures and thus lose a great deal of its lubricating value. This dilution is in some cases very rapid, due to faulty carburetor adjustment or mechanical defects.

The use of inferior motor lubricants and poor motor oils may aggravate the difficulty, but no lubricating oil can maintain a piston-to-cylinder seal over a piston clearance which has been made through excessive wear. Neither can any lubricating oil withstand the cutting of too wet or too rich fuel mixture. The remedy lies in changing the oil frequently after thoroughly cleaning the crank case.

It is not enough to merely drain the oil out of the crank case and refill with fresh oil. Dust, grit and metallic particles may lodge in the crevices and the congealed oil which adheres to the side of the crank case. The foreign matter thus retained will seriously interfere with the lubricating qualities of the fresh oil. Before refilling the crank case it should therefore be thoroughly cleaned.

One of the best ways to clean the case is to flush it with a light grade of oil. There are many objections to the use of coal oil or gasoline for flushing. After cleaning with any one of these fuel oils it is impossible to drain entirely, a small portion of the coal oil or gasoline is almost sure to remain at the bottom of the crank case. This will dilute the fresh supply of oil and destroy its lubricating value.

Many dealers have prepared themselves to deliver excellent crank case service. Cleaning the crank case is at best a dirty job and motorists will usually be better satisfied to go to a reliable dealer to have the work done. Motorists should, however, make sure that whoever does the job does it thoroughly and uses the proper flushing agent.

A drive which is put on simultaneously in many cities and towns in the Dominion by retailers handling lubricating oils, and garages who are specially equipped to handle crank case cleaning jobs, and which is to be backed by a rather extensive educational campaign, is significant. Through this drive it is hoped that more motorists can be induced to adopt the practice of frequent crank case cleaning. Beyond all doubt, motorists who do adopt the plan will be benefitted by securing more satisfaction and very agreeable reductions in operating expenses.

Edmonton, July 26.—Contracts for 1,100 miles of rural telephone line construction have been awarded by the provincial telephone department, comprising the second instalment of the government's program for the 1922 season. The mileage represented in these contracts, six in number, is spread over all parts of central and southern Alberta, and the total expenditure involved will be about $125,000.

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A REMEMBERED DAY

Josephien Mullins had expected Mrs. Boggs to accompany her to the city that day on the shopping trip for which she had long been planning. But at the last moment Mrs. Boggs could not go. She had a swollen face and this precluded any appearance in public, for Mrs. Boggs liked to wear a perfectly normal face when she went abroad, which is not to be wondered at.

"Well, I'll see if someone else can't go. It's no fun going alone." Josephine sighed and went to the telephone. A wrong number resulted in an answer from Sally Garrett, and so it was Sally who went with Josephien that day.

Now Josephine did not have a high opinion of Sally Garrett, although they had always been neighbors and close acquaintances. It seemed to Josephine, who was large and stirring and confident in her views, that Sally did not possess that intangible thing called personality. Sally was small and pale-colored, she was too plump if anything, with a gentle little old-fashioned face that began to disappear just under her chin and finished the feat at her collar. Not that Josephine ascribed all of Sally's peculiarities to lack of chin. Sally's mother, you must remember, was a Tobey and her father had thought he could paint until the day he died. Sally had some ideas of art that were amusing, and she kept faith in her fathers' pictures. It was a pity she could not sell them, for she needed money, and she couldn't have earned any for herself, for she had not the least atom of training.

"Oh, well, she'll do as well as another," Josephine thought when they were seated in the train. She glanced sidewise at Sally, who was dreamily contemplating the racing view outside. "After all, company is company, and she almost never gets away from home. She may feel the fare to be quite an item, so I'll treat her to lunch and a matinee." Thereupon disposing of the subject of Sally, Josephine got out the little notebook that she always carried in her handbag and began to make out a list of the things she intended to buy. Plenty of money enabled her to make this list very interesting.

"Now, you needn't hang round after me unless you want to," said Josephine when they reached the great department store where she was well known. I suppose you'll have some shopping to do for yourself. We can plan to meet in the rest room at one. That's plenty enough time for luncheon."

So Sally trotted off by herself, and Josephine lost herself in the relative values of suits and coats. It was some minutes past one when she remembered Sally. She hurried to the rest room, but Sally was not there. Josephine waited impatiently, tapping her foot and glancing frequently at her wrist watch. Women came and went, the tearoom nearby sent forth enticing odors of creamed chicken and orange pekoe tea, but still no Sally.

Josephine waited until she felt as if her stomach were attaching itself permanently to her aristocratic backbone, the backbone which gave her such a duchess-like carriage, then she arose and went into the tearoom. That wretched little Sally! Where had she gone? What had become of her? Would she ever appear? And where," thought Josephine as she attempted to scan the menu and opening door at once, "where shall I look for her if she doesn't come? Where would I be apt to find her?"

The waiter came, but Josephine had become too flustered to eat just then. She was waving the girl away when she saw Sally coming. Such a different Sally! Her head was up, her cheeks flush, her eyes—she had lovely eyes—were full of happy lights. She was so nearly handsome that even Josephine forgot the slant of her little chin. And behind her——

"This is Mr. Twilliger of the art department, Miss Bullins."

Mr. Twilliger was a nice looking little man with an artist's mind and quiet eyes. Josephine was quite prepossessed by him. But where had Sally, simple little Sally, picked him up? He sat down at the table and insisted on ordering lunch for himself.

"I lunch here every day," he said, with his nice smile, "so I can recommend the bouillon and the salad."

"You know when we parted," Sally said in her small fluttered voice. "Well, I went at once to the art department. Just think! Mr. Twilliger has been in charge of it for fourteen years and this is the first time I ever ran across him. I used to know papa," all Sally's veneration bespoke itself in that word.

"Mr. Garrett and I were at Piker institute together," said Mr. Twilliger. "Those were the days!" he sighed. "Of course he was much older than I, but we were in the same still life class. I remember hearing him speak of his ambitions. I know I was immensely ambitious at that time. But ——" he made a plaintive gesture. "Well, life deals us strange cards. Instead of painting pictures I've sold them, and he——"

"He persisted till he died," Sally said softly. "The house is full of his work." In that one sentence she had conveyed that her father had not been successful.

Josephine then got into the conversation. She liked Mr. Twilliger very much, liked him all the better because he had not chosen to starve on his art as Jason Garret had done, and as he had made Sally and her gentle helpless little mother do, but had gone to work. His clothes—Josephine was a judge of clothes—gave him a prosperous look, and then his life, pla was genuine.

Josephine learned a great deal about Mr. Twilliger and at the same time put away a very comfortable luncheon. He was not married, he had boarded at Mrs. Dixon's for a number of years, he sketched a little sometimes when he was on his vacations in the summer; art as executed had become with him a mere pastime, but he could judge a picture fairly well, he thought.

He could judge a picture uncommonly well, Josephine thought, when after luncheon she and Sally went with him to his department.

"You ought to come out to our place for your vacation this summer, just for the sake of sketching Mount Holly," she said.

"Papa loved Mount Holly! He painted it in all its phases," murmured little Sally.

Mr. Twilliger bowed and smiled. "I should love to try my hand at sketching Mount Holly," he said. "Above all things I should love to see my old colleague's conception of it." But he looked at Sally's wistful face.

"He'll come," thought Josephine. "He's really interested in Sally. It may mean a match, not that I'm predisposed to matches, never having made one myself."

They parted from Mr. Twilliger lingeringly. All the way home Sally was silent and terribly reflective. Once or twice she smiled audibly, and again she smiled.

"I shall remember this day as long as I live," she told Josephine, when they stood for a moment saying goodbye at the corner.

"So shall I," grunted Josephine. "I bought a hat that I know I'm going to look like sin in, when I try it on before my own glass. But I got off lucky at that. The saleswoman would have wheedled the sphinx, I don't know how I would have come out if I had tried to buy a picture of your Mr. Twilliger.

Sally flushed. "He wouldn't have told you a word that wasn't true. He's a fine— Do you think he'll come to Westover this summer?"

"He'll come," said Josephine, "just as sure as fate. But what will you do with all those pictures in a city flat?"

Sally gasped, understanding. Then she ran away. Josephine went toward her own home smiling, yet with a queer little feeling around her heart.

"To think that the wrong number this morning should have resulted in my leading little Sally Garrett to romance!" she said. "Oh, yes, we'll both remember this day—I wonder how I'll look in that hat."

CANADIAN SHOPMEN TO BREAK WITH U. S. AFFILIATION

Winnipeg, July 26.—The Canadian maintenance of way and railway shop employees, approximating 30,000 will, in all probability, break with their International affiliation for purely Canadian autonomy, declared F. Y. Geckie, local secretary here last night. It is expected a decision will be reached at an early date, he said. He asserted that the question had been under discussion for some time and was practically an accomplished fact, the expressions of the rank and file as well as their representatives being practically unanimous.

Thrift and Its Value

"Thrift" was the very human topic of which Sir Harry Lauder spoke in a last interview as he left New York. It is, by popular belief, the subject on which Sir Harry is best qualified to speak.

"Leeve wi' in yer income, then yer bank books mak' fine readin'—aye fine. Say to yersel', 'we had these things last year—we canna hae or do these things this year.' Simmer doon That's the answer. That's a verra guid good motto for evr-r-rabody.

"What mak's a bank book poor-readin'?" Sir Harry answered his own question. "They open the cheque book too often—an' the bank book no often enough. The cheque book is too fu' o' readin' matter. Evr-r-rathin' they see they maun hae. An' so they dinna turn the puges o' their bank book.

"Ma bank book is ma favorite readin'," he confessed. "I do ma work for the love of it, because ma heart is in it. But a bank book can be a thriller —the best literal thriller in the world.

"Next to the Bible, the bank book is the wor-r-rld's gr-r-eat-est book. The edeetion of the bank book is too limited. Evr-r-ra mon should hae his copy. An' he should keep it for private circulation—ver-r-ra private. No ither should know what is in his bank book. I wad rather read a young man's bank book than his credentials. Bank books are ma favorite readin'.

"The bank book should be the foundation of the family library.

"On ever-ra page there should be somethin 'nicer than on the page before," he went on, musing. "An' ever-ra bank book should ha a happy endin'. The end on the last page should be, 'continued in our next.'

we all ought to hae. Somethin' put awa, from which we no tak a little, even when we want somethin'."

WHERE DIAMONDS MAY BE FOUND

There are many more diamond mines in the world than the ordinary observers imagine; the difficulty is to find them. They infrequently occur in alluvial soil, above which rock has formed, thus hiding them from human gaze, to which they are betrayed by mere accident, as recently in British Guiana. Mild and unobserved seismis force may slightly fracure the covering quartz, and rain and land waters percolating through the soil will soon widen the gap, permitting the diamonds, as the earth revolves, to work their way to the surface of the soil.

Even when seen it needs an expert eye to detect their value, and to differentiate between a piece of round rock and a real diamond in the rough. South African prospectors call these fissures "diamond pipes."

Cullinan made himself famous as the discoverer of diamonds at what is now known as Kimberley, in Griqualand West but even when he observed children playing with veritable diamonds, and saw them staring him in the face from the walls of the Dutch farmer's adobe-brick dwelling, he could not feel certain and had to travel away to procure expert advice befor making his discovery known to the world.

So in British Guiana, the discoverer must have possessed experience before being able to confidently declare he had seen real diamonds.

A Victory Dance

(Alfred Noyes)

The cymbals crash,
And the dancers walk
With long silk stockings
And arms of chalk,
Butterfly skirts,
And white breasts bare,
And shadows of dead men
Watching 'em there.

Shadows of dead men
Stand on the wall,
Watching the fun
Of the Victory Ball.
They do not reproach,
Because they know,
If they're forgotten,
It's better so.

Under the dancing
Feet are the graves.
Dazzle and motley
In long bright waves.
Brushed by the palm fronds
Grapple and whirl
Ox-eyed matron
And slim white girl.

Fat wet bodies
Go waddling by
Girdled with satin,
Though God knows why;
Cript by satyrs
In white and black,
With a fat white hand
On a fat white back.

See, there is one child
Fresh from school,
Learning the ropes
As the old hands rule.
God, how that dead boy
Gapes and grins
As the tom-toms bang
And the shimmy begins!

"What did you think
We should find," said a shade,
"When the last shot echoed
And peace was made?"
"Christ!" laughed the Deathless
Jaws of his friend;
"I thought they'd be praying
For worlds to mend;

"Making earth better,
Or something silly
Like whitewashing hell
Or Picca-dam-dilly.
They've a sense of humor,
These women of ours,
These exquisite lilies,
These fresh young dowers!"

"Pish!" said a statesman
Standing near,
I'm glad they can busy
Their thoughts elsewhere!
We mustn't reproach 'em,
They're young, you see."
"Ah!" said the dead men,
"So were we!"

Victory! Victory!
On with the dance!
Back to the jungle
The new beasts prance!
God, how the dead men
Grin by the wall,
Watching the fun
Of the Victory Ball!

Blondine—"What is your favorite hymn?"

Georgette—"Well, I like Percy Brown best. He is a good dancer."

Jazzin' 'em Up

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WINNERS AT HAT A.A.A.U. COMPETITION

Medicine Hat, July 26.—Hugh McIlvenna, whining first in the hop, step and jump, pole vault and standing high jump, and second in the standing broad jump, for a total of 13 points, won the grand aggregate at the twelfth annual track and field championships of the Alberta Amateur Athletic Union, held here today under the auspices of the Caledonian society of Medicine Hat and district.

Interest was continued from start to finish and it was not until the pole vault, the final event of the extensive program, that the grand championship was decided. McIlvenna had to win this competition to cinch the honors, while second would have tied him with Ray MacEachern, the 19-year-old Medicine Hat youth, who piled up 12 points, the result of winning the 100, 220, 440 and 120 hurdles.

NOT A DROP OF HAIL FELL IN ALBERTA FOR TWO WEEKS

While Alberta has not been visited by a hail storm for 13 days, local officials of the Hail Insurance board of Alberta are still unable to estimate the damage done by hail this year. They say, however, that up to date the loss is far below that of last year, and if no serious storms are encountered within the next five or six weeks the losses will be the lightest that they have been in several years.

Several hundred claims are on file, and as only a small number of the final adjustments have been made, it will not be known for some time just what the amount of damage will be. Crops which were hailed in the early part of the year have, in some districts, completely recovered. One farmer of the Foremost district has written the board saying that his crops, which were badly hailed early in July, have almost completely recovered and are now about two feet in height and heading out nicely. Similar letters have been received from farmers at other points.—Calgary Albertan.

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Edmonton Weekly News Bulletin

Grasshopper Campaign Success

Loss of crop from grasshoppers in Alberta this year, throughout the infested territory will be only from two to three per cent., and in the majority of districts the loss has been practically nil, according to a statement issued by H. E. Strickland, entomologist in charge of the field work for the Alberta department of agriculture in the grasshoppor campaign. The saving of crop effected by the campaign will be many times greater than the cost of the campaign.

Mr. Strickland, however, lays great stress on the fact that stubbled-in crops offer the greatest opportunity for damage from the hoppers. He states that the "Lesser Migratory Hopper" is the greatest menace and this hopper lays its eggs promiscuously over stubble land and deserted farms. He recommends against planting any crop on stubble land unless the land has been plowed to a depth of seven inches. Deep fall plowing is particularly recommended.

Mr. Strickland also points out that through failure to realize the seriousness of the situation on the part of some, sufficient roadside grasshoppers escaped to re-infest the districts concerned for next year. He therefore urges a campaign of poisoning to be carried on during August to destroy hoppers as they gather, on breeding grounds. By the end of August, he states, egg laying ceases.

Trouble is also being experienced through hoppers cutting binder twine. Mr. Strickland recommends that twine should be soaked in a solution of one pound of bluestone to three gallons of water. The balls of twine can either be thoroughly dried out before placing on the binder, or can be put on soaking wet, as half dried twine will cause trouble. A system of spools could be rigged up on the binders to carry the twine through a can of solution just before it reaches the knotter.

Hail Losses

According to a statement issued by the municipal hail board of Calgary, the hail losses in Alberta have been very light to date. Thus far the losses are sal dto be 75 per cent lighter than for the same period last year.

Telephone Extensions

Contracts for 1100 miles of rural telephone extensions have been awarded recently for the provincial telephone department. These contracts are for lines in central and southern Alberta and call for an expenditure of about $125,000.

Hay Supply

The department of agriculture has commenced investigations respecting the supply of hay to be had in the northern districts. Three men have been sent out and are making daily reports to the department respecting the amount of hay available in the districts inspected. About ten days ago the provincial department requested the minister of the interior to withdraw all permits for cutting hay except for actual settlers for their own use, until such time as a thorough survey of the hay situation has been made by the provincial department of agriculture. This was immediately agreed to by the minister of the interior.

Several thousand tons of hay have already been located by the men who are in the field. Settlers who desire to put up hay for their own use may secure information by communicating with the department of agriculture, Edmonton.

Cost of Grasshopper Campaign

During the session of the Legislature the past week, Hon. Geo. Hoadley made the announcement that the hopper campaign which covred over 1500 townships in the province, had cost about $450,000, about half of which had been borne by the municipalities This amount was equal, he said, to wheat which would be produced from less than two townships, at an average yield of 15 bushels and a price of $1 a bushel. Thus if only two townships of wheat had been saved, the cost of the campaign had been more than met. But the campaign had covered over 1500 townships and the saving would be many times greater than the cost.

Rye Market

Hon. Geo. Hoadley made the announcement in the house that he had taken up with the Dominion trade and commerce branch, the matter of finding a market for rye which will be produced in Alberta this year. France is one country which has a very extensive market for rye this year, and negotiations to reach this market are going forward.

P. Schow, consul-general for Denmark in Canada, was a visitor at the government buildings the past week. He is investigating conditions in the west in connection with the possible immigration of settlers from Denmark.

During August, a party of newspaper men from South Dakota will visit Alberta for the purpose of visiting different parts of the province. Another large party to visit the province will be 100 business men and their wives from Montreal.

New tariffs have been issued by the railway companies, according to word received from A. Chard, freight supervisor for the government, which provide a decrease in rates on grain for export going via Vancouver. The new rate from Edmonton to Vancouver on grain for export will now be 25 cents instead of 31 cents, the reduction being 20 per cent. The maximum rate from points east of Edmonton as far as the Alberta boundary will be 28 cents.

Premier Greenfield stated in the legislature last week that the cabinet is considering calling a conference of operators and miners with a view to effecting a settlement of the present coal strike in the province.

Dr. F. A. Wyatt, who is conducting the soil survey of southern Alberta, reports that he has reached Purple Springs with his parties, about half wayy to Medicine Hat from his starting point near Granum. Work is also being done in the Cavendish district. Dr. Wyatt hopes to cover the ground as far as Medicine Hat this fall. Two parties are in the field engaged in this work under Dr. Wyatt.

As a result of efforts on the part of A. Chard, freight supervisor for the provincial government, the Dominion Express Co., has granted a reduction in the minimum billing weight of fish from northern ponts in Alberta from 30,000 lbs to 20,000 pounds, which will prove a considerable convenience for the fishing industry.

A survey of the hay and feed situation in the province is to be commenced shortly by the department of agriculture.

Strawberries are doing well in several districts in Alberta this year. One farmer east of Calgary has shipped 1200 boxes from his plots this summer.

A Grasshopper Warning

The damage to crops in the district infested with grasshoppers is decreasing and, with the exception of a few districts, will be less until the end of the season. This does not mean that the farmers of the province can safely cease their watchfulness, but rather the contrary is the case. A study of the life habits of the pest shows that at this time a small amount of work will prevent an outbreak next season. The grasshoppers have reached the winged stage, and mating and egg-laying will continue until the autumn frosts. At th etime of egg-laying the grasshoppers usually gather in large numbers and the eggs are deposited in small localized areas. At this time the female feed very greddily and if there is not abundant feed where they have been developing, they will move some distance until a suitable place is found.

The general movement of the pest has been northward, and unless all the farmers of the district are prepared to control the first signs of an outbreak it is very probable that this district will be infested next year. They are easily poisoned at this time and the danger of an outbreak next year greatly reduced.

The farmers in the districts east and south of Wetaskiwin have been engaged in control work throughout the season. Mixing stations at Wetaskiwin and Stettler have been supplying bait at cost to the farmers, and are willing to supply to the territory about them that is not already organized for control work this year.

R. N. Bissonette, Gov. Agent.

FINNIGIN TO FLANNIGAN

Superintendent was Flannigan;
Boss of the section was Finnigin;
Whenever the cars got offen the track
An' muddied things up t' th' divil an' back,
Finnigin writ it to Flannigan.
After the wrick was all on agin;
That is, this Finnigin
Repoorted to Flannigan.
Whin Finnigin furst writ to Flannigan,
He writed in pages, did Finnigin.
An' he could jist how the smash occurred;
Full minny a tajus, blundorin' wurrd
Did Finnigin writ to Flannigan,
After the cars had gone on agin,
That wuz how Finnigin
Repoorted to Flannigan.
Now Flannigan knowed more than Finnigin;
He'd more idjucation, had Flannigan,
An' it wore 'im clane an' completely out
To tell what Finnigin writ about.
In in writin' to Muster Flannigan.
So he writed back to Finnigin:
"Don't do sich a sin agin;
Make 'em brief, Finnigin!"
Whin Finnigin got this from Flannigan
He blushed rosy rid, did Finnigin;
An' he said: "I'll gamble a whole month's pa-ay
Before Sup'rintendent, that Flannigan
Gits a whack at this very sum sin agin
From Finnigin to Flannigan.
Repoorts won't be long agin."
Wan day on the siction of Finnigin,
On the road sup'rintended by Flannigan.
A rail gave way on a bit av a curve,
An' some kyers went off as they made the swerve,
"There's nobody hurted" sez Finnigin
"But repoorts must be made to Flannigan,
An' he winked at McGorrigan,
As married a Finnigin.
He wuz shantyin' thin, wuz Finnigin,
As minny a railroader's been agin,
An' the shmoky oil limp wuz burnin' bright
In Finnigin's shanty all that night—
Bilin' down his repoort, wuz Finnigin,
An' he writed this here: "Muster Flannigan:
Off agin; on agin;
Gone agin.—Finnigin."

FOREST FIRES ARE NATIONAL PLAGUE

Of every ten fires destroying the Canadian forests this year an average of eight have been set by human beings who themselves profit most by the forest. This refers to such classes as campers, fishermen, hunters, trappers, river drivers and others who frequent the woods for recreation or for a livelihood.

Canada's forests (of which 85 per cent of the total area is owned by the people of Canada) are increasing rapidly in value in the markets of the world. Two-thirds of the great forest inheritance of our country has been sacrificeed to useless conflagrations and what remains cannot be further destroyed by public carelessness without also eliminating all the wood manufacturing industries, the sawmills, the paper mills, numbering 5,000 busy plants, employing about 200,000 workmen.

While occasionally a great forest fire is set by lightning or other unavoidable cause, by far the greater number are caused by incusable acts of carelessness. The evil habit of leaving camp fires unextinguished has caused the Canadian taxpayer stupendous loss this year. No one who uses the woods for recreation or any other purpose has the slightest excuse for abandoning his camp without completely putting out the fire. This can be done by a few pails of water or a few shovels of earth. Precaution should be taken so that a camp fire in the first place is not built in a dangerous spot, such as against an old log or a tree, or on the inflammable "floor" of a woods. Many campers forget that the top layer of a forest area is composed of pulverized wood and other material that readily takes and spreads fire. Unless the Canadian camper and smoker practice rigorous care with all forms of fire in the woods this year, the freedom of ordinary woods travel is certain to be restricted everywhere by the use of permits and other forms of supervision such as have been applied by Quebec during the past month.

During an epidemic in a small southern city, every infected house was put under quarantine. After the disease had been checked, an old negress protested vigorously when the health officers started to take down the sign on her house. "Why, auntie," exclaimed the officer, "why don't you want me to take it down?" "Well, sah," she answered, "dey ain' be'n a bill collectah neah dis house sence dat sign went up. You-all let it alone!"

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If Yoh want to save money here is your chance

BELOW ARE A FEW SAMPLE PRICES:

For Ladies
Ladies' White Skirts, of heavy pique, variety of patterns, clearing out at $1.75
Ladies' and Misses' Regatta Canvas Shoes, in white, up to $3.00 value. Clearing price $1.25
House Dresses, made of best quality print, nicely trimmed, Clearing out at $1.35
Piece Goods, light prints reduced to only 19c
Big discount on Voiles and Ginghams.

For Men
Tweed Raincoats, well made with belt all round While they last .. $5.75
Men's Bathing Suits, made of heavy cotton, and trimmed. Clearing price $1.30
Men's high grade Balbriggan athletic union undrwear, clearing price is only $1.15
Men's Soft Collars, Clearing price 10c
Men's imitation Panama ford one. Clearing price is $1.25

For Children
Children's Shoes, sizes from 4 to 7½, good brown kid leather, a ver ygood shoe for the little ones. Clearing price $1.15
Another lot of Childrens shoes, sizes 7½ to 10½ of good black kid leather, also clearing out at only $1.25
Children's Dresses made of good quality chambray, nicely trimmed. Clearing price 75c
We have a complete line of suit cases, club bags, and trunks at very low reduced prices.

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Horse Races Baseball Tournament
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Attractive Exhibits Band in Attendance

Exhibitors are reminded that all Entries must be in by August 12.
Prize Lists and Entry Forms may be obtained from C.D.Smith, Sec.

Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society
JOHN BERRY, President, E. R. RASMUSON, C. B. McMURDO, Vice Presidents.
C. D. SMITH, Secretary

Classified Ads.

For Sale

FOR SALE—One 1918 Ford Car. Apply to Rev. J. M. Pritchard. 20-2tn

FOR SALE—Arklan Range, Oil stove with oven; Coal oil heater, lawn mower, single bed, double bed, water power washer, camp cot, kitchen table, 3 kitchen chairs, rocker, gem jars. Apply to Rev. J. M. Pritchard. 20-2tn

FALL RYE SEED—Russian fall rye seed for sale, good germination, cleaned. Apply L. R. Berry, Phone R2803, Wetaskiwin.

FOR SALE—One registered Shorthorn bull, one year old, red; several registered Berkshire pigs, spring litter, both sexes; one Fleury rapid grinder, 12 inch with bagger, one Sawyer-Massey separator, 22-36, in good condition. Frank Lucas, phone R 902, Wetaskiwin. 16-tfn

FOR SALE—The property of P. Burns & Co. Limited, fronting on Pearce, MacDonald and Lansdowne streets, in the centre of the business section of the city, consisting of two lots, a solid brick one storey building used for stores, and a building fit for warehouse. For all particulars including terms, apply to E. D. H. Wilkins, Wetaskiwin, Alberta. 31-tfn

For Rent

FOR RENT—A nice six-room modern house in good repair. Apply to J. J. Rix, phone 202, Wetaskiwin. 19-3t.

Lost

LOST

Between Gwynne and Wetaskiwin on July 25th

TRAVELLER'S SAMPLE CASE

made of Black Leather. Contains samples of fine boxed Stationery.

Finder kindly return to Times Office and receive reward.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN — 1 bay gelding 7 yrs old, small white strip above right hind leg; 1 black filly 2-year-old Percheron, small star; both had halters on. $10 reward. Geo. L. Owen. 19-tfn

NOTICE—Will the parties who stole a swarm of bees and beehive from the property of John Mikulecky on Court House avenue, return same before they get stung. Geo. L. Owen. 19-tfn

Estray

STRAYED—From my yards, 1 mile north of city, 1 lamb, marked with red paint on head. B. M. Parker, Royal Market. 20-2tn.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BIGSTONE, No. 459

Warning Re Fire

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal District of Bigstone, No. 459 is determined to enforce the provisions of The Prairie Fire Ordinance of Alberta, and all parties are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

Attention is hereby directed to section 17 of the Ordinance which reads as follows:

"Where any fire is burning in the ground on any land in a municipal district and is not guarded in accordance with the requirements of this Act, any fire guardian may cause the same to be extinguished and the cost thereof shall be paid by the council of such district and charged against the said land as taxes.

E. N. RATTRAY,
Secretary Treasurer,
20-2tn. M.D. of Bigstone, No. 459

NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE MATTER OF THE LIVERY STABLE KEEPER'S ORDINANCE.

Under and by virtue of the provisions of the above Ordinance and under and Order for Sale made by His Honor Judge Lees, I will offer for sale at Otto Olson's Livery Barn, Lorne Street East, Wetaskiwin, Alberta, on Saturday the 12th day of August, 1922, at the hour of Eleven (11) o'clock A.M.:

One light bay horse with white face and four white feet.
One stock saddle.
One bridle
One pair spurs
One pair chaps
Lariat rope.
Saddle Blanket.

to realize the sum of $180.00, or so much thereof as can be procured from such sale.

The said horse is said to be the property of J. . Carson and was by him left at the said barn to be fed and cared for on or about the 8th day of November, A.D. 1921.

OTTO OLSON, J. I. POOLE
Seller. 20-2tn. Acting Sheriff.

Edmonton, Aug. 1.—The Calgary members lost their gas resolution asking that the gas company be permitted to cross road allowances, in the house Monday night on a division in which 38 voted against and nine for the motion, after which the legislature prorogued, until November.

Teachers Wanted

TEACHER WANTED — Applications will be received up to August 21st, for experienced teacher holding first or second class certificate. Duties to commence Sept. 5. Applicant to state qualifications, references and salary expected. F. A. Elkerman, sec.-treasurer Haultain S.D. 533, Duhamel Phone R 1811. 20-3tc

TEACHER WANTED—For Bears Hill S.D. No. 352, duties to commence about August 21st. Applicant to give qualifications, references and state salary expected. Applications to be received before August 15th. P. H. Rix, RR 4, secretary-treasurer, phone R 409, Wetaskiwin. 20-2t

TEACHER WANTED—For the Hillside S.D., 702. Yearly engagement. Salary $1000. School to open Aug. 14, 1922. Apply to the Sec.-Treas. stating qualifications. M. B. Marr, Sec. Treas, Millet, Alta. Phone R211. 2-tn.

TEACHER WANTED—For Bulyea S.D. 3191, duties to commence Sept. 5. Applicant to give qualifications, state references and salary expected. Applications received up to August 15. H. A. Inglis, secretary treasurer, Wetaskiwin. 20-2tn

TEACHER WANTED — Qualified teacher desired for Pigeon Creek School No. 818. Duties to begni Sept. 5, 1922. $1000 per year. Particulars of Geo. Fink, Chesterwold, Alta., Secretary. 19-2tn

TEACHER WANTED — For the Peace Hills S.D., 488. Teacher to state qualifications and salary expected. G. A. Provo, secretary. Phone R 1003. 15-3t

TEACHER WANTED — Applications will be received by the undersigned up to August 15th, for teacher for Battle River S.D. No. 278, for the autumn term. Applicant to state qualifications and salary expected to C. R. Shantz, secretary-treasurer, phone 1265, R.2, Wetaskiwin. 13-3tn

Wanted

WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework and to assist with milking. Steady work year round for capable party. Apply to H. E. Harkness, Phone R106, Millet. 20-3t

WANTED—To hear from owner of good Farm for sale. State cash price, full iparticulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. Jul-20. Au3-17 Sep 7-21

Impounded

IMPOUNDED—In the pound kept by the undersigned, 32-45-22 W4th, on July 12th, one bluish black stallion 2 years old, both hind feet white, star on forehead, white spot on shoulders. Wm. Elkerman, poundkeeper, phone 1811, Duhamel post office.

Miscellaneous

PARCEL FOUND—Near Wetaskiwin July 25, a parcel containing goods bought at one of the city stores. Owner can have same by paying for advt. at Times Office. 20-1tn

GUNSMITH — Gun, rifle and revolver repairs. Repair parts for all makes of firearms, restocking, etc. Firearms of all descriptions bought, sold and exchanged. A. A. Russell, Gunsmith, 139 — 13th Avenue West, Calgary. 19-12tn

PASTURE—Quarter section fenced and cross fenced. 10 acres crop. Quantity of hay, abundance of pasture and water. Lake and well. Deep black loam soil, no rock. Sixteen miles from Wetaskiwin, 1 mile off Pigeon Lake trail. $2500. Terms at 7%. Box "P," Times. 19-3t

UNRESERVED

AUCTION SALE

of

PAINTER AND PAPERHANGERS' STOCK AND EQUIPMENT AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

The undersigned auctioneer has received instructions to sell by public auction at the corner of Railway St. east and Pearce St., on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5th

at two o'clock sharp, the following:

Garden, carpenter, painter and paper-hanging tools.

Swing stage with scaffold irons, 3 blocks, 2 pair hook and 369 feet of rope.

Three extension ladders, 4 step ladders.

40 gallons of paint, varnish, shellac, etc., tar roofing, floor crack filler, smaltz, steel wool, about 220 lbs morsco and kalsomnie; wall paper.

Stoves, furniture, sewing machine, phonograph, set of teacher's and pupil's encyclopedia, set encyclopedia dictionary, set F. Marion Crawford, set each of grades 7, 8 and 9 school books. Other books too numerous to mention.

Cooking utensils, dishes, etc.

TERMS — CASH

Everything Must Be Sold as the owner is leaving the city.

MRS. R. A. FELLING, Proprietress
GEO. L. OWEN Auctioneer
19-2tn

Wetaskiwin Fair—August 14, 15, 16.

TRAPPER FOUND MAROONED ON BARREN ISLAND

The Pas, Man., July 31—After being without food or shelter on an island for twenty-two days, Frank Reynard, a 72 years of age trapper has been rescued, according to word received here from mile 32 on the Hudson Bay Railway.

Reynard, who has a shack on Cormorant Lake went out some three weeks ago in his canoe looking for duck eggs. He landed on a small rocky island and during his search a storm blew up and his canoe was carried away. The trapper was absolutely isolated on a spot seldom visited by travellers. There was no fuel for building a fire and no protection from the elements. The only means of sustaining life was some half dozen duck eggs, water snails, small crawfish wild mint and the roots or weds. He was conscious when found by a local trapper but very weak.

He is however recovering rapidly and states it was the heating and strengthening qualities of the wild mint that kept him alive.

CHURCH CHIMES

EV. LUTHERAN

There will be no service on Sunday morning next.

German service will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening.

UNION SERVICES

The united services of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches will be held next Sunday, August 6th at

11a.m.—In Knox church, Rev. J. M. Pritchard will preach.

7.30p.m.—In the Methodist church, Rev. C. H. Huestis, D.D., secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will preach.

BORN

CHURCHILL—At Wetaskiwin, on the 27th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Churchill, a son.

BURKHARDT—At Gwynne, on the 27th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burkhardt, a daughter.

ENGLEBOOM—At Cherry Grove on the 30th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. John Engleibloom, a son.

SHARKEY—At Verdun, on the 30th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. R. Sharkey, a daughter.

GWYNNE

Mrs. W. W. Scott and three children, of Calgary, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. Inglis.

Mrs. Earl Cole, Evelyn and Joe are visiting relatives at Cadogan.

Miss Alice and Master Leroy Shantz have returned home after spending several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Woodrow, at Monitor.

Most of the farmers around here are cutting their wheat crop for hay.

We are glad to report that Mr. A. Rupertus is around again after a very serious illness.

The regular Sunshine annual meeting was held at the home of Mrs. L. G. Larson, with 13 members and ten visitors present. The election of new officers was as follows: president, Mrs. F. Robbins; vice-pres., Mrs. Geo. Shantz; sec.-treas., Mrs. E. Cole. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ed. Johnson on Thursday, August 3.

Mrs. M. Oesch of Vancouver spent a few days last week at the home of her brother, Mr. George Shantz.

Gordon Brothers of Calgary are visiting in our vicinity.

Statistics show that the urban population of Alberta has grown in twenty years from 18,533 to 222,904, an average increase of about 10,000 per year. During the same period the rural population has been increasing at an average rate of 15,500 per year.

A carload of tar sands from the Athabasca river deposits at Fort McMurray, has been shipped to Wales for experimental purposes. An oil extraction plant is now being erected a few miles from McMurray by eastern parties, who have invented machinery by which they hope to extract the oils from sand on a commercial basis, at a cost which will enable them to be put on the market cheaper than prevailing prices.

Mrs. O. L. Edstrom, of Edberg, who underwent an operation for appendicitis ten days ago, leaves Camrose hospital for home today, having fully recovered from the operation. Owing to a heart condition the doctor did not think it safe for Mrs. Edstrom to take chloriform or ether, so operated using a local anaesthetic, Mrs. Edstrom talking to the doctor and the nurses while the operatoin was going on. Mrs. Edstrom says "no more chloriform or ether for her when she can have an operation done this way."—Canadian.

Wetaskiwin Markets

August 3rd, 1922

No. 1 Northern	.95
No. 2 Northern	.93
No. 3 Northern	.88
No. 4 Northern	.82
Rye	.32 - .35
Oats	.29 - .33
Barley	.30 - .42
Steers	2.00 - 3.00
Cows	1.00 - 2.00
Hogs	11.50
Sheep	3.00 - 6.00
Lambs	5.00
Eggs	.15
Butter	.15 - .30
Potatoes	.25

MILLET

In honor of Miss Clara O. F. Clark, a bride-to-be of this month, Mrs. Dowling entertained a few friends on Wednesday afternoon of last week at a miscellaneous shower. Lilies of the valley and bridal roses strung with fewpies draped with white tulle and red hats made a very pretty decoration for the tea table. Mrs. Kent presided over the tea cups, Mrs. Dickey assisting. Mrs. Eastwood cut the lees. As the bride-to-be entered the drawing room the event was heralded by the ringing of a large wedding bell which was hung over the archway. The playing of "Here comes the Bride" played very artistically by Miss Ruby Dinney, after which little Miss Olive Dowling entered with a buggy artistically decorated with red, white and blue and filled with beautiful gifts for the bride. The following added very much to the pleasure of the guests, Mrs. West's humorous reading of the many helpful hints for the prospective bride along with favorite recipes that accompanied each gift. Miss Clarke sang a solo, The Misses Clarke and Mrs. McAllister sang a quartette. The rest of the company joined in community singing which was much enjoyed by all present. A vote of thanks was given the hostess by the singing of "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow". Great credit is due Mrs. Dowling for the able manner in which the afternoon's proceeding was carried out. All the guests leaving for home at 6.30, glad they had been there to enjoy such a treat as we used to have down home. The guests were: Mrs. Dowling, Miss C. O. F. Clarke, Mrs. McAllister, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Eastwood, Mrs. Inglis, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. West, Mrs. Dickey, Mrs. Karr, Miss Caulderwood, Miss Doane, Miss Browning, Miss Dinney, Miss Clarke, Miss M. McLean, Miss R. McLean, Miss Inglis, Miss Olive Dowling, Miss Irene Kent, Miss Kathleen Dickey, Miss Marjorie McAllister.

The days are getting hotter, and rain is very badly needed, 90 in the shade reminds us of the tropics.

Among those who are camping at North Pigeon Lake are Mrs. Parfit, Mrs. Reep and family, the Misses Plant and Reuben Plant, Mrs. F. Pinyon, Mrs. E. Rogne and family, Mrs. A. J. Heywood and family, Miss Ruby Hastie, and Rev. Hughson and family, not forgetting the boys of the Trail Rangers club. Pigeon Lake is rapidly becoming a fine summer resort and a number of cottages are soon to be erected.

The church services for the following three weeks will be suplied by the official board. Services will be conducted at Porto Bello, West Liberty and Millet.

On Sunday, August 13th, Rev. T. C. Buchanan, D.D., Supt. of Missions, will have charge of the services.

The Millet school district held a meeting on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of electing a trustee in the place of Wm. Rowlandson, who resigned. Quite a number were present and unanimously declared A. P. Mitchell elected by acclamation.

Mr. Chas. Hillas, electrical contractor of Edmonton, paid a flying visit with his family to his relative Rev. I. N. Hughson, having travelled via the Rockies and Pacific coast to Seattle, Spokane and other places, covering a distance of nearly 2,000 miles.

Frank Wrightson has returned from his vacation in British Columbia and reports conditions quite normal there and that he had a most enjoyable time.

We regret to learn that Mrs. V. Browning is ill in the Wetaskiwin hospital. It is sincerely hoped that she will have a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Benham and family are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wolfe.

We are glad to know that Mr. West is able to attend to business as usual.

Miss Edna Artress of Coronation is a guest at the parsonage for the holidays.

Mrs. W. T. Young, of Blairmore is convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Aikens.

We understand that Millet is to have an up-to-date creamery very soon. Wetaskiwin capital is interested.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinney, Mrs. Eastwood and Miss Calderwood paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Heywood at the lake on Sunday.

On Friny night last our baseball boys went down to defeat to the score of 7-3 in favor of the Wetaskiwin team—that is, it was supposed to have been the Wetaskiwin team—but on looking over the lineup, it was discovered that the team was composed of the pick of Wetaskiwin, Crooked Lake and Hurd Lake teams, so that our boys were up against a formidable array of players. However, the local team did not put up a very good showing, errors on the part of nearly all the players being very prominent, and even the very strenuous rooting of the local fans could not turn the tide of victory from the visting team. The success of our team heretofore in winning nearly every game they have played this year may of had the effect of letting them loosen up on the usual good playing form but it is to be hoped that they will now see that the next game that they play will again see the scoring credited to our own boys. One thing that they should do is get out on the home diamond and practice, there are plenty of enthusiastic fans around the town that could get together and put a practice team in the field. Here's hoping that there will be no more performances like the one of last week!

The Millet W.I. will meet Thursday, August 10th at the home of Mrs. McManus.

At the meeting of the Millet U.F.A. local held on July 29th, all the members present deplored the loss of our late fellow member, Mr. W. A. Howard, and a vote of sympathy to his relatives in their bereavement, was passed. The meeting also approved the action of the president in ordering a wreath of flowers.

Latter - Clarke

A very pretty wedding took place on Saturday, July 29th, at the home of Mrs. Ward A. McAllister, of Millet, when her sister, Miss Clara Clarke, formerly of Brownsburg, Que., was united in marriage to Mr. Geo. A. Latter of Edmonton, Alta. the Rev. I. N. Hughson, of Millet, officiating. The ceremony took place on the lawn under an embankment of trees and flowers.

The bride, who was given away by here father, wore a gown of white Canton satin embroidered in seed pearls; a tulle veil caught with orange blossoms and pearls, and carried an arm bouquet of ophelia roses and sypsophilia. Mrs. Harold Gibbons, of Calgary, was matron of honor, wearing a gown of orchid crepe de chene with black hat and carried a bouquet of pink and mauve sweet peas. Mr. Ward A. McAllister attended the groom. The wedding music was played by Mr. D. Stuart McGibbon, of Huxley, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Latter left for a trip through the rocky mountains and the Arrowhead lakes. The bride travelling in a costume of navy blue poiret twill with hat of brown and grey. On their return they will reside in Edmonton.

MALMO

Edmonton, July 25.—All of the officers of the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias of Alberta, will come from the south country this year. Headed by W. I. Taylor of Lethbridge, who was chosen as grand chancellor at the lodge convention this morning, the entire ticket elected came from points south of Red Deer. This is not surprising in view of the fact that the lodge is especially strong in that part of the province.

Entries for the Fair must be in by Saturday, August 12.

Camrose can justly feel proud of her band. Under the leadership of O. B. Knipfel, known as "Knipper" by his bandsmen, the organization has been steadily improving until it has reached the stage where favorable comment was heard on all sides during fair days.—Canadian.

Meet me on the Midway at the Fair.

The Swat Sason

Oh, my daughter, bring the swatter, for the flies my forehead chew; always, dearie, for the wearie, there is something fierce to do. Men must never cease endeavor, something tire soom must be done; always jumping always humping, till this earthly course is run. I am weary, old an leary, and I'm yearning for repose, but when napping flies come scrapping on my forehead and my nose; ay, the friskers climb my whiskers, and they drill among my hair, and they tickle and they prickle and they drive me to despair. So my daughter, bring the swatter that our leading goldsmith made, with its flopper framed in copper and its handle pearl-inlaid. Bring the swatter and I'll totter up and down these princely halls, slaying, sloshing, flies a-squashing, on the ceilings and the walls. Flies are coming, hear them humming they arrive on every breeze, little caring that they're bearing germs of every known disease. And we pot them, and we swat them, and the toiler never quits, but a dozen come a buzzin' for the one the swatsmith hits. It is useless, though it's truceless, though our labors never end, yet my daughter bring the swatter, then just watch my smoke ascend.—Walt Mason.

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THE EXODUS FROM CANADA

There has been a great deal of unnecessary discussion and regret over the supposed loss of some two millions of our population during the last decade, in the opinion of the Vancouver Province, which has been making an investigation and declares that "no such migration took place." Immigration into Canada has always been overstated in the official reports and the rate of natural increase used in the calculation of what our population should be is much too high, according to the Province. After examining and comparing the United States decennial census taken in 1920 and the Canadian census taken in 1921, it suggests that we have reason to cheer up, because there has been a greater proportional increase in population in Canada than in the United States during the ten years and, with one exception, every Canadian province along the border has had a greater proportionate increase of population than the States just across the line. The exception is the state Michigan. The province of Prince Edward Island lost population during the decade but so did three States of the Union.

The Province does not deny that there has been a large exodus from Canada; its argument is as to the extent of the exodus. An admission of a substantial southward movement is clearly implied when it says:

In the years before the war Canada was receiving more settlers from the United States than we were sending to that country. We were receiving more each year than the whole loyalist immigration which has stamped its impression forever on the history of this country. It is expected that the movement from the United States to Canada will this year far exceed the movement tom Canada to the United States.

The absence of actual statistics and the consequent uncertainty as to the number who have gone from Canada to settle permanently in the United States makes this subject a very good one for debate. But after the pros and cons have been sufficiently discussed the moral side of the whole matter should be quite plain, namely, that we should have careful and accurate statistics kept of the immigration into the Dominion and also of the exodus from the Dominion. We should know the exact number of each nationality entering the country and should have a similar classification of those who are leaving. The statistical branch at Ottawa could apply itself to no more important work than that of arranging for securing information as to the annual exodus to the south. These are the foundation years of the Canadian nation and we should have definite knowledge of the constituent elements that are being woven permanently into it.—Free Press.

GIANT METEOR FALLS FROM SKY AT QUILL LAKE

Saskatoon, July 29.—With an explosion that shook the district or 20 miles around, a giant meteor plunged from the sky into Big Quill Lake, near Wynyard, Sask., east to here, yesterday, according to a special despatch.

The fire-ball seen by many in the district, fell from a clear sky and clouds of steam arose from the lake for some time after it had sunk in the water. The shock of the explosion was felt in Wynyard, where houses trembled.

Between midnight and one o'clock this morning another meteor was seen descending to the east of Saskatoon. It was visible in the city, but no reports have been received regarding where it landed.

Further meteoric disturbances were reported from Vanscoy, Sask., southwest of the city, early this morning. Vanscoy residents heard five or six loud explosions and the earth between Vanscoy and Pike Lake was shaken. Several people declared they had seen a meteor falling.

BIG CROWD OF TOURISTS SAW MIDNIGHT SUN

Edmonton, July 31—Friday's train over the Alberta and Great Waterways railway brought in a big crowd of tourists and others who have spent the last month or six weeks on a trip to see Canada's exclusive view of the midnight sun. Most of the passengers who arrived this week had taken the long trip down the Mackenzie river by way of the Alberta and Arctic Transportation Co. boat, the Distributor, and had all the thrills of a new and delightful experience. There was none of the disappointment of taking a long trip and then finding the sun hide its face under a cloud at the special time. Everybody on board the Distributor watched the midnight sun all the night of July 4, and never for a minute did it get below or even to the horizon. Photographs were taken at all hours. Even from the time of leaving Fort Smith, lights had been used only one cloudy night, but until the boat was well down in the delta there was not an uninterrupted view of the sun during the night.

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HOUSE FLIES ARE BLAMED FOR KILLING THESE CHILDREN

Milton, Nov. 16.—As the result of a strange disease, the origin of which is baffling the doctors in this part of Ontario, two children belonging to a well-known family near Milton have died in agony.

Two weeks ago three of the five children became suddenly ill with the disease, which was accompanied by convulsions. Dr. McNiven of Acton was called but was unable to dagnose the case. Dr. Howitt of Guelph was then sent for, and he too was baffled, as were other physicians who have since been called.

The first child, a girl of 15 months, passed away a few days ago, and the second, a three-year-old boy, was buried yesterday. The third child, a boy five years old, is still seriously ill.

Dr. Howitt believes the sickness was caused by a fly carrying a contagious disease, and depositing it on apples which were eaten by the three children. The lining of the bowels of the two children who died came off, and their bodies were reduced to skin and bones.

Dr. Grant Fleming, Deputy Medical officer of health for Toronto, stated yesterday he did not think these children were suffering from any unknown disease. The condition of wasting of abdominal tissue, he said, was not unusual in cases of children violently affected through fly-tainted milk or food. He thought their symptoms resembled an acute form of sickness common among children in summer.—From the Toronto Globe, Nov. 17, 1921.

DEVICE FOUND FOR CATCHING GRASSHOPPERS

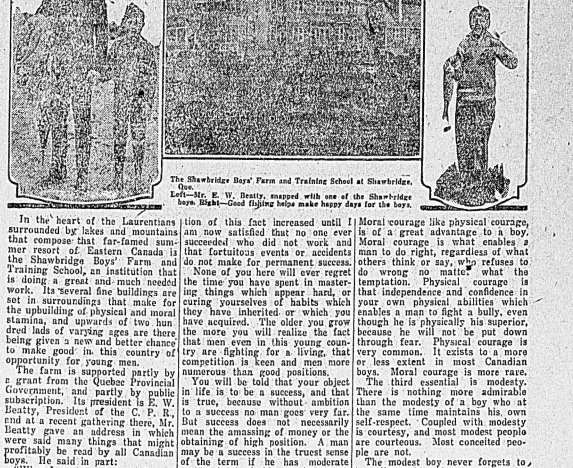
An ingenious device for catching grasshoppers has been invented by R. Hawkins of Windthorst, Sask. It is stated to be a most practical machine for the destruction of these insects. The idea which Mr. Hawkins has embodied in his invention is very simple and consists of crushing the hoppers between rapidly revolving rollers. These rollers are six in number, ten feet long and each five inches in diameter, and work side by side. They operate from a table similar to that of a binder, the two end rollers being driven by chains operating from two sprocket wheels which carry the whole machine, while the four inner ones revolve by friction. Any insect, however small, alighting on the rollers, is immediately crushed.

The August issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, which is now on sale, contains a wealth of worth-while reading and it abounds in bright and interesting features. The camper or vacationist will find the big article "Some Suggestions Regarding Outfit" worth a good deal, for it is written by an outdoors man, specially for the aid of holiday pleasure seekers whose trails lead through the wilds or the ope nspaces. "The Dandy of the Westmoreland" is a big fishing yarn by Robert Page Lincoln. There is a splendid article by Bonnycastle Dale, while the absorbing serial "Men of the Hudson's Bay Company" is another feature. The various departments are filled to the brim with material which the sportsman will not want to miss. The trap department is an unusually generous one, containing a long breezy account of the Eastern Canada Championships at Hamilton, which is replete with pictures of many of the "big guns."

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In the heart of the Laurentians surrounded by lakes and mountains that compose that far-famed summer resort of Eastern Canada is the Shawbridge Boys' Farm and Training School, an institution that is doing a great and much needed work. Its several fine buildings are set in surroundings that make for the upbuilding of physical and moral stamina, and upwards of two hundred lads of varying ages are there being given a new and better chance to make good in this country of opportunity for young men.

The farm is supported partly by a grant from the Quebec Provincial Government, and partly by public subscription. Its president is E. W. Beatty, President of the C. P. R., and at a recent gathering there, Mr. Beatty gave an address in which were said many things that might profitably be read by all Canadian boys. He said in part:

"When I was a very young boy at school I did not believe in study. I worked a little, but I played a lot, and I did many of the things I should not do, and left undone many of those I should. When I was thirteen years of age and had finished one year's course in a prominent school in Toronto, my parents received a report which, without boasting, I think I may say was the worst report ever written about a boy. I was in trouble from the beginning of the year. I had spent most of my time after hours in school, doing the things I should have done during the class period. When this report was received it was accompanied by a note that in the opinion of the principal of that school it would get along fairly well if I did not return.

I do not remember ever having felt so humiliated about anything as I was when I read that report. I felt that I had provedito the college and to the other pupils my inability to do as well as others and take advantage of the educational opportunities which were offered me. I was sent to another school where my record was not known, for which I was very thankful. I there fell into the hands of a teacher who was one of the best teachers for boys I had ever met though he had a very violent temper. He encouraged us when he was not abusing us. If anyone showed inattention he was likely to be hit on the head with a ruler, but the first words of encouragement I ever received came from that man. He told me that some say if I worked hard I might amount to something, which was news to me—I had never heard it before. In any event he gave me an inspiration to study, and so I worked. The more I worked the more I found how valuable it was, and the years went by my appreciation of this fact increased until I am now satisfied that no one ever succeeded who did not work and that fortuitous events or accidents do not make for permanent success.

None of you here will ever regret the time you have spent in mastering things which appear hard, or curing yourselves of habits which they have inherited or which you have acquired. The older you grow the more you will realize the fact that men even in this young country are fighting for a living, that competition is keen and men more numerous than good positions.

You will be told that your object in life is to be a success, and that is true, because without ambition to a success no man goes very far. But success does not necessarily mean the amassing of money or the obtaining of high position. A man may be a success in the truest sense of the term if he has moderate means, is charitable and helpful to others, and, above all, retains his own self-respect, which inspires the respect of others, quite regardless whether he is the possessor of money or without it.

You will find, too, that the things which you admire in others are the things which you would like to be yourself. You will see men judged by others in accordance with three or four simple standards. If he possesses those qualities and those standards he will be admired and respected by his fellows. If he does not, he will fail.

To attain success the most essential thing is good health. A sound body usually means a sound mind, and a boy who is careful of his health and makes himself strong and vigorous has distinct advantage over those who are physically weak. While it is not impossible, it is extremely difficult for anyone to work against the handicap of ill health. And so I say to you in all seriousness, work hard, and play hard, enjoy games and spend your time as much as possible in the open. Build yourselves up, because you may have a long life, and every ounce of strength you store up in your youth adds to your vitality when you are older.

If that is a physical necessity to a man's success, there are certain moral qualities without which he cannot obtain permanent advancement.

The first is honesty. No man in this, or any other country who is not honest has attained permanent success. He may appear to do so. He may amass money by means which are at least doubtful, but without honesty he cannot gain or retain the respect of his fellow-men, and without that no man can be said to be a success.

The second essential is courage. Moral courage like physical courage, is of a great advantage to a boy. Moral courage is what enables a man to do right, regardless of what others think or say, who refuses to do wrong no matter what the temptation. Physical courage is that independence and confidence in your own physical abilities which enables a man to fight a bully, even though he is physically his superior, because he will not be put down through fear. Physical courage is very common. It exists to a more or less extent in most Canadian boys. Moral courage is more rare.

The third essential is modesty. There is nothing more admirable than the modesty of a boy who at the same time maintains his own self-respect. Coupled with modesty is courtesy, and most modest people are courteous. Most conceited people are not.

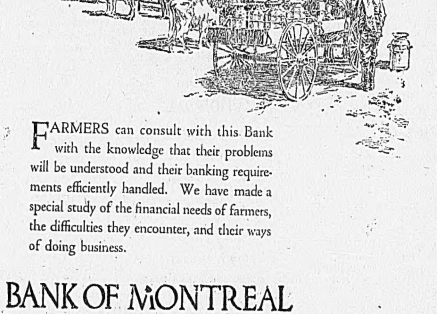
The modest boy never forgets to be polite to his elders or to women, and the first thing which an older man or woman recognizes and appreciates about a boy is his attitude of respect to those who are older than he. I cannot tell you how many positions have been won by boys whose manner towards older people has been modest and respectful, or how many lost by those who forgot this essential quality.

I told you that life is a struggle. It is also a race, and if you are in the race you must be equipped so that the competition will be equal. No boy who neglects his studies has the same opportunity afterwards as a boy who does not. He finds himself handicapped in a hundred ways by a lack of knowledge which he should have acquired when the opportunity was offered him. He sees other boys go ahead of him because of this advantage, and he oftentimes is reduced to earning his living by physical work for the simple reason that he has not trained himself to think.

Learn all that you can learn. Follow the instructions of your teachers, because later what they teach you will be found of great advantage, and without it you will feel handicapped, embarrassed, and sometimes ashamed.

There is a word we use to sum up a lot of qualities which we admire in any boy, and that is manliness. Manliness means a boy who is considered courageous, fair, generous, and who respects himself and others. Everyone admires a manly boy. No one admires a boy who is a sneak, who cheats, who does mean, underhand things. We like a boy or a man who stands on his own feet, looks everyone in the eye, who succeeds because he works and because he uses his ability for his own advancement without injuring anyone else.

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Chautauqua At Camrose

Chautauqua, we understand, will not return to Camrose next year. Some people feel that this is unfortunate, others feel that the Chautauqua is a good riddance to bad rubbish. The figures show that $1850 left Camrose with Chautauqua. Whether the people feel that the programs presented here were worth it is a question. There are many who feel that such an amount of money could have been spent to better advantage in something permanent, and over the period of years in which Chautauqua has appeared in Camrose the amount is very considerable. The fact remains that no one was willing to guarantee Chautauqua for another year, and whether or not the people feel the loss of having it next year remains to be seen.—Camrose Canadian.

"HEALTH WEEK" PLANNED FOR THIS PROVINCE

Calgary, July 26.—"A health week" for the residents of Alberta, to be held in the latter part of October or early in November, was the unanimous recommendation of the executive of the Alberta Medical association, which convened in Calgary on Wednesday morning in the board of trade rooms.

It was decided to ask the department of health, the university extension department, boards of trade, hospital associations, nurses' associations and all local medical societies to co-operate.

In cities like Edmonton and Calgary it is the intention to hold meetings in three different districts at the same time, and to continue such meetings for three or four nights. There will be open to the public, no admission being charged or collection taken.

Considerable discussion arose over the subjects to be dealt with, and these were outlined as follows:—preventive medicine, milk, venereal diseases, cancer and tuberculosis.

In smaller cities there will be fewer meetings, one a week for five consecutive weeks.

The executive decided that arrangements will be made to send their best speakers and men best qualified to deal with the subjects in a manned acceptable to the public.

HARD WINTER FOR STOCK PREDICTED

Victoria, B.C., July 28.—It looks like a hard winter coming for livestock in Western Canada and along the Pacific coast, according to a warning issued today by W. T. McDonald, live stock commissioner, who has returned from judging horses at the Edmonton and Calgary fairs, and from an inspection of crops in Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia.

Alfalfa crop is good on the irrigated lands of Alberta, but drought has got it in the other districts, Mr. McDonald reported. "In the timothy belt the timothy was practically all winter killed. The rains came in time to produce a lot of green feed, but nothing much to last over and keep cattle alive and fat during the winter. The whole hay crop will be light. It is light also in British Columbia and over the entire Pacific Northwest. Unless there is an open fall, feed will likely be very scarce and the probabilities are that with such conditions prices will be correspondingly high."

Mr. McDonald said that the live stock exhibits at the prairie shows were good and many of them are being brought to the coast for the fall shows here.

HARVEST WAGES LIKELY TO RUN TO $4.00 A DAY

Farmers of Alberta will be called upon to pay from $3.50 to $4.00 a day for harvest hands during the rush season, according to present indications. This is the wage which the employment service of Canada has authorized the railway officials to promise men when the harvest trains commence operating from the east. This amount will prevail generally all over the three prairie provinces.

At the present time there is not sufficient demand to create such a wage and the farmers of the province are offering at the present time from $40 to $50 a month for general farm hands, with the promise of going wages when the harvesting begins.

Owing to the fact that there is at the present time a surplus of labor in the province, farmers have been able to get men to work in the rye fields at from $1.75 to $2.00 a day.

During the last few days the Calgary bureau has placed about 50 men in the southern part of the province at this wage.

POINTS MADE BY BROWNLEE ON THE NEW WHEAT BOARD

"I do not believe that a compulsory wheat board is the best and most satisfactory way of handling the wheat. I do not say it will be permanent, but economic conditions make its establishment necessary."

"I do not pay so much attention to the change in prices for the wheat year, but to the fluctuating prices day to day."

"I believe that under a wheat board the chief difference is in the sympathetic selling agency for the producers, as compared to the open marketing system, where there is absolutely no sympathy for the producer."

"I am casting no reflection on the grain men, but they are not directly interested in the producer. As traders they buy for themselves at the best price, and as commission men they must be bound by the farmer's instructions to sell, regardless of the fluctuating market."

"There was no reason for a wheat board in 1919 which does not exist today. It could not have been to provide an adequate supply of wheat for the allies, because the war was over."

"I do not believe in a voluntary board. Suppose we guaranteed it financial support. It would have no marketing, no storing and no receiving facilities. It would be faced by the competition of all the elevators. Under this act the board can compel the elevators to give storage, so that it will have practically the whole of the elevator system of the provinces at its disposal."

"It is possible that the compulsory features of this bill are drastic, but the times warrant them, and the compulsory features are left to the provinces."

"We cannot legislate on flour control but there are few milling companies in these provinces. Opinions are divided. Mr. Stewart and Mr. Riddell in their report think lack of control over flour may be some obstacle to the board's operations."

"It is an anomalous situation that the board should be appointed and controlled by the Dominion, and the provincial governments have to take the financial responsibility. But I take it that the Dominion government will co-operate in every possible way to make the operation of the board a success."

"The success of the wheat board this year depends upon its administration and management."

"The total guarantee to be required from the province, which will be proportionately shared by Alberta and Saskatchewan will not be very great. But why it was necessary to draft the legislation in that way I am at a loss to know—control and legislation in the hands of one government, financial responsibility in the hands of the others."

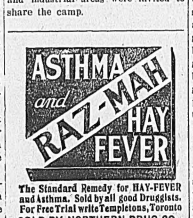
"The bill gives the board power to deal wth contracts. Having that power it is questionable how far we can refuse to deal with bona fide contracts filed 15 days before the board taken charge. It is the opinion of grain men that when they are washed out comparatively few claims will be made. I consider this question of administration one, and if we can get the right men for the board, like Mr. Stewart and Mr. Riddell, the difficulties will be small."

"We are somewhat hopeful that Manitoba will join with us. But even if Manitoba does not, the Manitoba crop is a comparatively small factor, with an acreage of four millions, compared to thirteen millions in Saskatchewan and five millions in Alberta. I do not think that will be a serious factor."

"Except for control over flour and transportation, this legislation gives the wheat board practically all the powers of the board of 1919. Though this wheat board will not be national it has the power to receive grain from any province. If Manitoba does nto join the board, Manitoba farmers can still sell through the board if they wish."—Calgary Herald.

ROYALTY WILL DISCOURAGE SNOBS

The Duke of York, second son of the King, is repeating this year the experiment he made last year for what has been called "the discouragement of Snobocracy." So thorough an understanding was then established between boys from Westminster school and boys from a Welsh steel works, following a football match, that a summer camp was set up by the Duke to encourage good feeling between boys of different social status. Two hundred boys from public school with an equal number from congested and industrial areas were invited to share the camp.



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WHAT IS COMING?

In 1915, one of the exceptional crop years Western Canada has ever had, the acreage seeded to wheat was 13,867,715.

In 1922 the acreage seeded to wheat is 21,166,000.

In 1915 the yield was 25.97 bushels to the acre, a total of 360,187,000 bushels.

No one can foretell with accuracy the yield of the crop in 1922, although so good an authority as Mr. George Lane of Calgary declares that a big crop in southern Alberta is assured, and the railways and others interested in the crop express confidence that the yield will be above the average in southern Saskatchewan and throughout Manitoba. Taking only the average yield of the past ten years (17 bus. to the acre), the total yield of this year should exceed 359,822,000 bushels, or practically the same total as recorded in 1915.

As for price, on July 10, 1915, the quotation on October wheat was 103⅜; on July 10, 1922 the quotation was 1161. On the basis of that quotation this year's crop, estimated at the 10-year average of 17 bushels, would return $417,393,520 delivered at Fort William, or $47,250,000 more than the crop of the same volume in 1915.

This year's crop was put into the ground at little higher cost than in 1915, and should be harvested at little greater expense. Forty, forty-five and fifty dollars by the month are average wages for farm labor this year. Freight rates are back almost to the 1915 level, and handling charges are no higher.

Roughly speaking it is safe now to anticipate a return to the farmers of at least $325,000,000 from the wheat crop this fall. It may be far in excess of this amount. The crop is somewhat patchy, with wonderfully good and very unpromising fields side by side. Yet the prospect is for a high average yield. Precipitation conditions, experts say, virtually parallel those of 1915. There has been burning only in scattered districts, no rust and only normal hail damage. Conditions are, to say the least, decidedly promising.—Winnipeg Tribune.

NO INTEREST ASKED ON SOLDIER LOANS TILL OCTOBER 1923

Edmonton, July 26.—Of great importance to the large number of soldier settlers in the west is the announcement that all the loans made by the government, prior to April 1, 1922, will be consolidated into one loan for a period of 23 years. This applies where a veteran has made three separate loans, stock, equipment and farms. Men who were established prior to October 1, 1919, will be allowed four years without any interest payment. Men established between October 1, 1919, and October 1, 1920, will have three years' grace in interest payments, and men established between October 1, 1920, and October 1, 1921, will have two years' grace.

THAT BOLT OF FIFTY-TWO FARMERS

Ottawa, July 26.—Enough truth to hung a summer story on, but nothing more, is contained in the report published in a Quebec paper hat fifty-two Progressive members are prepared to go over en masse to the support of the government. The facts are that about fifty members of the third party are inclined, or were inclined, at the end of the session to assume towards the government an attitude even more friendly than that displayed at the last session, but there is no talk of going over in a body. It is surmised by themselves that if they did so they might hear from home where there is a process known as the recall.

An all day caucus on this subject was held the day after the prorogation of parliament. At this, it is said, the view was very emphatically expressed that the Progressive party is never likely to secure in to country that strength which would ensure its return to power. Therefore it was argued that the best course would be to frame up something with the government providing an agreement could be reached on lines of policy. Such a policy would have involved mutual concessions.

It was not proposed that the third party should submerge its identity but rather for the present at least a working arangement was to suffice. Between now and the next general election it was thought that sufficient spade work might be done to permit a merger or open alliance with the government party. This again would be contingent on two things—the degree to which the government would be prepared to go in accepting Progressive ideas, and the measure of approval ofthose who supported the third party at the last election.

Almost 50,000,000 bushels of grain were shipped to Europe from Montreal since the opening of navigation up to July 23, a performance that creates a new record, exceeding last year by nearly 2,000,000 bushels.

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SPECIAL SESSION OF SASKATCHEWAN HOUSE FINISHED

Regina, July 27.—The special session of the Saskatchewan assembly, the second gathering of the fifth legislature of the province called to deal with the question of wheat marketing was prorogued at 10:50 o'clock today by his honor Lieutenant Governor Newlands.

Little remained for the members to do when the morning sitting opened and it took the house just 50 minutes to do it. The order paper called for committee work on Hon. C. M. Hamilton's bill to provide an assessment and tax roll for the rural municipality of Glen Bain, made necessary by a fire some months ago which destroyed all the records of the district.

The wheat board bill and the statute to license grain dealers in the province which will be brought into effect by proclamation if certain sections of the Canada Grain Act are held ultra vires of the parliament of Canada by the court of last resort, received some attention in committee also and several house amendments were inserted in the bills.

One house amendment was made in the wheat board legislation resulting from the request a few days ago of W. F. J. Warren, Thunder Creek, to make provision in the statute for farmers of the province to sell registered seed grain to American buyers with the consent of the board.

The amendment consisted of one clause added to section four of the bill which sets forth the powers of the board.

It states that the board shall have power to regulate and control the sale, purchase and distribution of registered seed wheat in Saskatchewan, or to except such wheat from the operation of any order or regulation made by the board under the act.

The contention of Mr. Warren was that farmers of the province who make a specialty of growing registered seed wheat have customers in the United States and so hoped the operations of the board would not prevent them from continuing to supply these customers.

The bill was left in committee two days ago for the government to consider this and the house amendment came forward today.

Both Premier Dunning and Attorney General Cross stated they did not believe it was necessary to insert the clause. The only reason for doing so was to bring the matter to the notice of the board.

In the bill to license grain merchants, a house amendment was inserted giving the government a tighter grip on the operations of persons in the province who solicit consignments of grain for firms located outside the province.

The bill as originally drawn made it necessary for these canvassers to be licensed by the Saskatchewan government and licenses will not be issued to them unless the principals for whom they work are bonded.

When the bill was being considered in committee Wednesday Premier Dunning pointed out that a solicitor might be licensed by the province as representing one firm and then go ahead and work for another firm for which he would have no license.

The house amendment is so designed as to make such an actoin by a solicitor a breach of the act.

It was effected by adding some provisions to clause six, and the clause now reads:

"No person shall in Saskatchewan, as track buyer, primary grain dealer, or in any other manner or capacity whatsoever canvass or solicit business for a grain dealer without firs obtaining a license therefor from the minister, which license shall name the grain dealer for whom the licensee is authorized to canvass or solicit business."

There was little or no discussion on the amendment. The house seemed to be satisfied to accept the government's word for it. When committee rose third readings were voted on the wheat board bill and licensing bill and the bill to provide an assessment and tax roll for Glen Bain.

A few minutes late the lieutenant-governor entered the chamber and gave royal assent to the four bills passed by the session. The fourth was that providing for a sessional indemnity of $250 per member.

POSSIBILITIES OF COMMERCIAL FLYING

A feat which demonstrates the wonderful possibilities of commercial aviation has just been accomplished by two French airmen, Lieutenants Battelier and Carrier.

They agreed to race against each other from Paris to Marseilles and back by aeroplane, the loser to offer the winner a glass of port.

Lieutenant Carrier was in the air nine hours and five minutes, or an average speed of 82 miles an hour.

Lieutenant Batteller, however, did even better. His time was 7h. 45m., or an average speed of 122 miles an hour.

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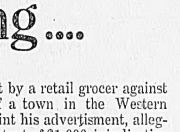
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The Value of Advertising....

The action brought by a retail grocer against the daily newspaper of a town in the Western States, for failure to print his advertisment, alleging loss of sales to the extent of $1,000, is indicative of the value he places on advrtising as a means of stimulating business.

In his statement of complaint he declares that he does depend very largely on advertising for business and on account of the non-appearance of his advrtisement his sales were $500 less than they would have been had the advertisement appeared: He asserts that on the Saturday preceding, and on which day a similar advertisement appared, the sales made by the plaintiff amounted to $650, and that while on the following Saturday, the day on which the advertisement was not run in the paper, although furnished and requested to be run by the plaintiff, the sales were $350. On this day business was generally better, due to Labor Day following on Monday, and on account of the failure to insert the advertisement, the plaintiff claims he was damaged in the sum of $1,000.

The outcome of the suit is not yet known, but it is interesting to note the definite turnover that this merchant credits as directly due to his advertising.

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The Editor,
Wetaskiwin Times,

Sir: I annex for publication a copy of a letter which I have today sent to the provincial officer of health, and in which I think the public will be interested:

Dr. Laidlaw,
Provincial Officer of Health,
Edmonton, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

I am told that the laundry work connected with the Wetaskiwin City Hospital has been placed with a Chinese laundryman who has no modern appliances to ensure that the material sent to the laundry will receive proper sanitary treatment and in the interests of public health I think you should cause an investigation to be made as to the conditions under which the laundry work is being done. I shall be pleased to give you all information on the subject.

I did the laundry work for the hospital for many years and recently sold out my business to a white man who is in a position to give it proper attention, but he has been passed over by the hospital authorities because he would not do the work on the same terms as the Chinaman, whose methods from a sanitary point of view cannot be compared to those of the steam laundry operated by my successor.

Yours truly,
J. W. Heric

HEAVY WET GAS FLOW IS REPORTED IN DINGMAN FIELD

J. O. Jennings and his brother, Ben Jennings, of the Alberta-Illinois well, a mile and a half west of the Dingman well, arrived in the city on Friday and reported that a flow of wet gas was encountered in the well on Thursday night. They estimate this flow at 3,000,000 cubic feet a day and that it contains the equivalent of one thousands gallons of gasoline daily. They stated that they had come up for capping material and that when the gas was diverted away from the well premises they would proceed with the drilling. Meanwhile they have had to extinguish all fires in the vicinity including those under the boilers. cluding those under the boilers.—Herald.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wetaskiwin Fair—August 14, 15, 16.

***Phone 94 for a big double box load of split wood. Price $2.50 a load. Frank Higgins.

***Home made Pastry every Wednesday and Saturday at the Candy Kitchen.

A dance will be held in the Malmo Hall n Friday, August 11. The Rodney four piece orchestra will be in attendance. Come and have a good time. 30-2tn.

***Mrs. Pelling is having an unreserved auction sale of painters' and paperhangers' stock and equipment, also household effects at Owen's corner on Saturday, August 5th.

TOWN TOPICS

Wetaskiwin Fair—August 14, 15, 16.

Rev. Firth of Lacombe, preached at both the union services here on Sunday last.

Tony Goulin was in the city this week renewing the acquaintance of his many friends.

Miss Maud Bentley of Edmonton, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. V. C. French.

Mrs. S. H. Relst, who has been visiting friends at the coast, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson and family are spending their summer holidays at Sebu Beach.

Miss Evelyn Liversidge of Calgary is spending her holidays at her hme here, and renewing acquaintances.

The boy scouts who have been camping out at Gull Lake for a couple of weeks returned home on Monday.

A very large crowd is attending the auction sale at the Bittern Lake ranch which is being held August 2 and 3.

W. O. Torgerson went to Calgary on Monday on business connected with the Alberta Pacific elevator.

Rev. and Mrs. James left on Monday for Jasper Park, where they will spend a couple of weeks' vacation.

R. M. Angus and family left this week for Pigeon Lake, where they will spend the month of August at their cottage.

Meet me on the Midway at the Fair.

Johnson Brothers made another shipment of hogs to Montreal market on Saturday last, when they shipped seven carloads.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon and family of Edmonton were Wetaskiwin visitors last week calling at the home of their niece Mrs. Evart Jackson.

The family of George D. Wallace, who have been spending the month of July at their cottage at Gull Lake, returned to the city this week.

Possibly on account of the hot dry weather, there has been considerable sickness among the children of the city during the past week or so.

Miss Beth G. Klaas, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Klaas, for the past six weeks, returned last week to California to resume her work.

The Misses Florence and Vollet Kelley, Macleau Block, left on Tuesday night for the coast cities, travelling by way of Prince Rupert. They will be away about three weeks.—Edmonton Journal.

Miss Mabel Poole, B.A., left for Calgary and Banff on Wednesday morning, where she will spend a few days with friends. She has been re-engaged to teach in the Vegreville high school at an increased salary.

Mrs. V. C. French received word on Tuesday that her sister, Mrs. Ed. Digman, of Exeter, Ont., had passed away after a comparatively short illness. Mrs. French visited her sister while she was east in June last.

D. W. Wark had one of the buildings on the former Alberta hotel property moved last week to the site of the former Wetaskiwin Mattress factory, where it will be fitted up as a dwelling house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Asselstine went to Calgary on Tuesday to select a house, as they will be moving to the southern city in a couple of weeks. Mr. Asselstine has accepted a position as a teacher of higher mathematics in the high school there.

The districts of Gwynne and Bittern Lake received a heavy rain Saturday last. This is the only rain reported in the Wetaskiwin district during the week, and now, speaking generally, the conditions are quite serious with many of the farmers and stock men.

J. Ward Bailey & Sons are extending their exhibitions at the fairs this year, and intend showing at the big exhibitions in B.C., as well as all the large places on the praries. They have a very choice exhibit this year and are "cleaning up" the prize money.

A slight accident happened at the well of the Mutual Oil and Gas Development Co. last week, when a tool became disconnected in the well. Little delay was occasioned, however, and good progress has been made with the drilling during the past couple of weeks.

Meet me on the Midway at the Fair.

Among those who attended the Lundy-McPherson wedding at Edmonton South from Wetaskiwin were J. S. Watson and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Gothard and daughter May, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and daughter Flora, Mr. and Mrs. R. McPherson and family.

Three local boys, Tod Reynolds, C. Nelson and Ray Stevens are getting their cars in shape and are preparing themselves to participate in the auto races to be held at Edmonton on August 12. We expect a goodly share of the prize money will be brought home to Wetaskiwin as these speeders are all experienced drivers and are out to win.

Entries for the Fair must be in by Saturday, August 12.

Looking Backward
FROM THE TIMES' FILES

(July 17th 1902)

Great excitement prevailed on Wednesday when Nils Johnson, who was charged with the murder of Peter J. Johnson, stepped off the train a free man. The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

The Merchants Bank is now an independent branch, with V. C. James as manager, R. J. Dinning came down from Edmonton Saturday as assistant.

The bridge on Lansdowne street west was constructed last week and now G. H. Robinson is busy filling in the approach.

At a meeting of the council, J. S. Robertson was appointed town constable, to replace L. E. Mott, N.W.M.P, whose time is too much occupied with other things.

(July 24th, 1902)

"Robert A. Lawrence" was taken to Calgary last week, under police guidance, with deep mystery hanging over his departure. It seems his correct name was Larson, and he was wanted in the U.S. on a charge of manufacturing bogus securities and far stealing trust sums to the extent of $100,000 in Darane, Wis. The organization was the biggest insurance fraud ever perpetrated in the state.

A serious wreck occured on the C. &E. line three miles south on Sunday morning, when a special freight ran into and killed forty horses owned by W. H. Eggleston. The Indians were soon on the ground and took possession of the animals, so little of the carcases was wasted.

A movement is on foot to organize a company of the Canadian Mounted Rifles in Wetaskiwin.

J. C. McKay sold his livery and feed stable to Peter Patenaude.

C. Rolkjer will open a bakery and restaurant in C. W. Harkness' new building.

J. Connelly has resigned as separate school teacher.

Twenty-three cars of settlers effects were brought in during the past week.

Corp. Fitzgerald, Wetaskiwin representative to the Coronation, returned home last week and a reception was tendered him in Herle's hall.

Thieves broke a large pane of glass in Chas. D. Tate's wholesale liquor store and stole several bottles of whiskey.

J. P. Richards and family arrived in town Friday evening from Genesee, Idaho. Mr. Richards has accepted a position with E. T. Jacobs in the hardware store.

(June 27th, 1912)

The brothers of Black Prince Lodge No. 9, K. of P., held a social evening Wednesday.

A successful musical recital given by the pupils of Claude Hughes was given in the Kindergarten room on Thursday evening.

Arangements are well under way for the grand provincial Orange celebration on July 12th, when at least sixty-five lodges will be in the procession.

In the gun club handicap competition, the following scores were made: C. B. McMurdo, 17; R. Muray, 21; Weiberg 14; F. Ambler, 21; Crane 15; E. Ambler 7; Staples 17; Richards 12; Gross 10; Barrett 18; Schroeder 14; Burke 7.

(July 4th, 1912)

The boy cadets in connection with the Alexandra school left for Calgary Monday to spend a week in camp with about 1000 other boys. The Wetaskiwin officers are Freeman Kelley, captain; Herbert Carlson 1st Lieut., Herbert Chandler, 2nd Lieut., Russel Stevens color Sergt.

Through the changing of plans of the new post office building, considerable delayy will occur before the building is completed.

A cyclone swept over Regina Sunday, killing 30 people or more and injuring over a hundred.

Wm. McAllister of Lewisville sowed a field of oats on April 13th, which was headed out June 25th. It stands 29 inches high.

A large number of inquiries are being received daily at the publicity office from people across the line. The publicity campaign inaugurated by the city is already beginning to bring results.

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Libby's Sauerkraut, per tin	25c
Seedless Raisins, per pound	25c
Eggo Baking Powder, 5lb. tin for	$1.50
Eggo Baking Powder, 2½lb. tin for	80c
Braid's Best Coffee, 1lb. tin	60c
Empress Coffee, 1lb. tin	60c
Herring in Tomato Sauce, 2 tins for	35c
Loganberries, "Dried", 3 packages for	$1.00
Lanka Tea, per pound	55c

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